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THE COLONIES--1742-1961.

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PART II

CHILDREN OF PETER BARRACKMAN AND ELIZABETH ANTHIS BARRACKMAN, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, IOWA, TEXAS, AND CALIFORNIA.

NOTE THAT AFTER EACH SON THERE IS AN INDIVIDUAL INDEX ON YELLOW PAPER.

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PETER BARRACKMAN OF KNOX COUNTY
STATE OF INDIANA

Barrackman - Soft

The Barrackman family, always first among those sturdy early pioneers to settle in dangerous out posts, had been steadily moving westward.

Private Adam John Barrackman, an older son of Peter Barrackman had been at Post Vincennes by 1779. It is not known if he had been a prisoner of the British and taken to Detroit, but papers were found and taken from his possession at this time post marked from Post Vincennes. Record of this may be found in the papers of the "Michigan Pioneer and Historical Collections", at Detroit Michigan.

Christian Barrackman also an older son, had been in Vincennes by 1781. He was a friend of Moses Henry, Indian Scout to Colonel George Rogers Clark. Record of Christian Barrackman at this date is found among papers of Moses Henry, Knox County, Indiana.

Both Adam John and Christian Barrackman returned to West Moreland County, Pennsylvania. Adam John dies in Westmoreland County, year of 1783. (See another one).

In 1785 Christian Barrackman accompanies his parents Peter and Elizabeth Antis Barrackman, and younger brothers Abraham, Henry and John to Post Vincennes.

Even before 1785, whill the frontier was slowly moving across Ohio, many earlier pioneers were settling hundreds of miles away in the Old French town of Vincennes.

The Barrackman men were impressed with the fertile land along the Wabash and White Rivers, and the area's surrounding the smaller rivers and streams-River Deshee, Maria Creek and Mill Creek.

Peter Barrackman had sold all his land earlier in 1785 in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. Upon arrival at the community at Vincennes, Peter Barrackman found there was no government land for sale, although he had been told by greedy promoters there would be much land for sale in this new Territory of the North West.

Peter Barrackman did receive generous land grants from the Vincennes Courts before the year of 1787, when Colonel Harmar arrived to set up the new United States Government in 1787, all this was to change.

During 1790 Barrackmans were to receive more donation grants. Also, many 400 acre donation tracts and other grants, which were for sale by the donees under the "head of house hold-1783", had been purchased by the Barrackmans.

Any one interested in reading a good account on Vincennes Donation Lands-should read "The Vincennes Donation Lands"- by Leonard Lux, O. S. B., published by the Indiana Historical Society in 1949, for it's members.

After much research-I am including in this story on Barrackmans at Vincennes the following land grants, taken from offical records.

The Govenor had denied or confirmed, land granted earlier, claims growing out of early land difficulties, settlements made erroneously and land to be givin heirs of those now (1790) deceased. Peter Barrickman was living when the original land was donated to him in 1785. He had children born after 1786. Peter Barrackman dies late 1789 or 1790.

In Goodspeeds "History of Knox County And Daviess County", published in 1886, the following article appears:

P. 140 (foregoing covers P. 110, etc) lists of heads of families in Post

Vincennes in 1783, entitled to donation land promised by Congress, and continues with other claimants:

"The heirs of Peter Barrackman, four hundred arpents on the waters of the river Du Chien, granted by the court the 10th of March 1782, to John Cardine: by him sold to St. Pierre, the cure of Illinois, and by him assigned to Elisabeth, the wife of Peter Barrackman: survey the same. Also one other tract of four hundred arpents on the waters of the river Du Chien, granted by the court the 10th of March 1782, to Louis Cardine, by him assigned to St. Pierre, and by St. Pierre to Elisabeth, the wife of Peter Barrackman: survey the same. The heirs of Peter Barrackman claim, also four hundred acres more upon the waters of the river Du Chien, adjoining the before named tracts, by a grant from Court, the 10th of May, 1785; as there were early and considerable improvements on this tract, two hundred acres may be surveyed to satisfy the claim. They claim, also, one lot in the back part of town, twenty-five toises (p.141) square, by a court grant of 1785, which is to be surveyed, the same having been considerably improved, Peter Barrackman, Jr. claims a lot joining the same, granted also in 1785, upon which are considerable improvements; if it does not exceed the common size of the lots it is to be surveyed .

Micheal Barrackman received the lot in the back part of town, Post Vincennes, Indiana. This may have been a military donation. Record of this to be found in the American State Papers, volume on public lands. Peter Barrackman, Jr. received the land next to him. It is doubtful that either of these men ever settled on their land. No court records wills-deeds-papers of any kind have ever been found. Nor do we have any further mention of them, in this area. Peter Jr., returns to Maryland. Michael Barrackman to Pennsylvania.

Other Barrackman land appears to have been as follows. This was taken from Treasury Document Number 455, Claims for land Vincennes District.

List of Military donations of 100 (one hundred) acres of land granted by Governors of the various states to the Militia Men in the Vincennes District, Indiana on August 1, 1790.

Number of Grant 38----------To Christopher Barrickman

Number of Grant 122----------To Abraham Barrickman

The locations were entered at Vincennes under an act of Congress on March 3,1807.

Number Drawn16- Heirs of Christopher Barrackman in Right of Chris Barrackman; there were three hundred (300) acres located on the waters of Maria Creek, settled upon.

Number Drawn 23- Abraham Barrickman-There were one hundred and fifty (150) acres on north west side of White River below the mouth of Grassy Pond Bayau, adjoining site of White River, Knox County, Indiana.

Number Drawn 46- By Abe Barrickman in rights of heirs of Peter Barrickman; there were two hundred (200) acres on Marie Creek adjoining land of Christopher Barrackman.

Peter Barrackman also claims land on waters of Mill Creek, where he lived for a time.

Henry Barkman had four hundred (400) acres near White River; later he had land along the Wabash River.

The Barrackmans also have fifty (50) acres of land which they used for a sugar camp, exchanging the maple sugar for flour and gun powder and furs.

The named items were used by the various early settlers Indian Traders, the Indians. It was on the River DuChee (Du Chean or Deshee) that Peter Barrackman had his trading station. It was called "Barrackman Station", and is noted as such in the volume on Public Lands, Treasury Document #455.

Christian Barrackman also had land below Haselton, Indiana in Gibson County; he also had land on the White River.

At various dates in this fine Family History, Peter's many grandsons take out land during several land office sales.

The land claimed by Barrackmans was to prove a long drawn out court procedure.

The last will and testament of Peter Barrackman was duly proved and letters of testimony were granted to Elizabeth (wife of Peter) one of the Executors with a copy of the will annexed, September 3rd. 1791. Peter Barrackmans estate was probated by Judge Vander Burgh September 9, 1791.

From a sense of historical interest it is most unfortunate that Peter Barrackmans will was never found, as it should have been, and was not, among the early papers in the Knox County, Indiana court house. Fortunateley, proof of it existing, is found recorded in will book A. Probate Clerks Office, Vincennes, Indiana. The property mentioned above was in Section 1. T 2 N. R 10 W.

I might add at his time-I also received great help from Rev. Joseph H. Vander Burgh Somes. Father Somes of Vincennes, has just written a book called, "Old Vincennes". The great grand father of Rev. Somes was Judge Vander Burgh.

Elizabeth Antis Barrackman, wife of Peter Barrackman was still living in 1820, and is shown in the 1820 census of Indiana, as part of the house hold of her youngest son John Barrackman.

Elizabeth Antis Barrackmans name appears frequently in early court records, and one can gather she was a good business woman. In 1804 she takes in 8 year old Jane Martin to live with her until 18 years of age. She-Jane, is a child of John Martin dec'd. No mention is made of widow of John Martin. No further records appear relation to Jane Martin and her Guardian Elisabeth Barrackman.

Christian Barrackman son of Elisabeth Barrackman had returned to Westmoreland County Pennsylvania by 1791. Where he died is not known. Who his heirs were has never been found out. I had offered rewards of $25.00 each for further information on Will of Peter Barrackman, and heirs of Christian Barrackman. This offer still holds good.

On 20th of April 1798 Administration of the Estate of Christian Barrackman was granted to Elisabeth Barrackman, mother of the deceased. This was witnessed by Abraham Barrackman, who is now the oldest living son of Peter and Elisabeth Barrickman, In Knox County, Indiana.

By the year of 1810 the sons of Peter and Elisabeth Barrackman, Abraham-Henry-and John are married, and are farming the original lands given to Peter Barrickman. Son Christian is deceased as is one of their daughters, Rebecca Caldwell (Barrackman). There is dispute here for land for her daughter Eliza Jane Caldwell, and for Land for Susannah Barrackman, also a daughter now married William Snyder.

Following is a copy of the original records for the court term year of 1817.

11th day February Term 1817 - Page 427 thru 430
State of Indiana, Knox County - to the Honorable,
the Court of Said County

We the subscribers commissioners appointed by your Orders at the June and October term last past (1816) Do hereby certify that after having taken the Oath required by law, we assembled at the house of Abram Berkman in Palmyra Township in the County aforesaid on the twenty eighth day of December A. D. One thousand

Eight hundred and Sixteen in the Knox, as we had Appointed and Notified, we proceeded to ascertain who were the several legatees Entitled to a Dividend under the Last Will and Testament of Peter Barkman Dec. 3 the said Will & Testament being then and there before us upon which Enquire we Satisfactorily found and now report that the Real Estate of the Said Peter should and is to be Divided between Abraham Barkman, Henry Barkman John Barkman, John Caldwell who is Tenant by the curtecy in right of his Wife Rebecca, now Deceased, for their only Offspring, Elisa Jane, the heirs of Christian Barkman and William Snyder in right of his wife, Susannah. We then next proceeded to ascertain in presence of all of the aforesaid Legatees and devisees a part of the heirs of said Christian Barkman excepted what was the quantity and where it was situated of the real estate of the said Peter Barkman dec d. to be brought into and subject to division when upon their Information and unanimous convicw it turned out of the following Lot and tracts of Land, to wit, a Town lot on the Rise near the Seminary, Lot in the run of Vincennes, A Tract of Land of One hundred and Ninety five Acres on the Waters of Marie Creek being the Ballance of 640 29/100 granted to the heirs of Peter Barkman under concession of 1752. Another Tract of One hundred and forty four Acres & Sixty hundred & sixtieths on the Waters of the River Duchie, Joining Harbin & Robbing and one Other Tract of Three hundred & twenty, and Fifty, five Poles or hundred & sixtieths, including the Farm or what is called "The Barkman Place" all in the County of Knox & State aforesaid. Whereupon we proceeded and viewed the quality & State of the Said Lands excepted the Marie Tract and Town Lot, as to which we received Satisfactory information, Upon which we found that three of the Legatees to wit, Abraham, Henry & John Barkman having since the deceased of the Testator Peter, made considerable improvements upon the Said Farm, tract a particular & uniform Division there of would be unadvisable because any Division lines running so as to make the Tracts or Parcels in any Kind of Form, would operate a Material Injury to the aforesaid Improvers to obviates which Injury and Injustice, it was agreed by the Said John Caldwell on the part and on behalf of his said Child Elisa Jane & by the Said Abraham Barkman, we do decide & report that the said Abraham Barkman shall and do convey to the said John Caldwell in reminder to the said Elisa Jane Caldwell her heir and assigns, Sixty four Acres and Fifty Poles, out of the quantity, being part of the said Farm Tract which he the said Abraham heretofore purchased at Sheriffs Sale the Ballance of the said Farm and River Duchis Tracts Should be divided by proper meter and Bounds then agreed upon by the said Several Legatees, which should be set out by one of your commissioners, Samuel Emison, and the same being now completed we do decide and report that the said Real Estate, with the exception of the said Town Lot, shall be & the same is hereby divided in the following manner and proportions, that is to say to William Snyder in right of his wife Susannah, the aforesaid 195 acres on the Waters of Marie Creek .

To the Heirs of Christian Barkman
dec^{d}, Seventy One Acres out of the Tract Joining Harbin by the following bounds, to wit, beginning at the South corner of the 144 Acres granted to the Heirs of Said Peter Barkman, Adjoining Harbin running thence North 45° West 47 Poles to a Stake, thence North 45° East ____ 7/10 Poles to another Stake, thence south 45° 107 Poles to another Stake on the old line, thence S. 45° West 196 Poles to the Place of beginning.

To John Caldwell in adition to the quantity heretofore Purchased by him of Said Abraham Barkman and of the 64 50/100 Acres at this time agreed to be conveyed to him by the said Abraham in reminder to the said Elisa Jane Caldwell, her heirs and afsigns, One Hundred and fifty, acres and 28 poles and of the Farm Tract, by the following bounds, to wit, begining at the South Corner of the 360 acre Tract adjoining Christian Barkman & running thence E. 45° W. 99 6/100 Poles

[illegible] to a Stake, thence [illegible] to the place of beginning.

To Jane Peterson Family, Three Acres and Fifty Poles by the following metes and bounds, to wit, Beginning at the North Corner of the 144 Acre Tract running thence S. 45° E 4[illegible] Poles to a Stake, thence N. 45° E 8[illegible] Poles to an other Tract thence S. 45° E. 60 Poles to a Stake, thence S. 45° E. 30 Poles to a Stake, thence N. 45° W. 104 Poles to a Stake, and thence N. 45° E. 144 Poles to the Place of beginning.

To Jonathan Dashon Eight Five acres, Thirteen and one half poles out of the Farm tract by the following meter and bounds, to wit, Beginning at the North Corner of the 170 Acres Tract, joining Pathchial Ewing, and running thence S. 45° E. 125 1/10 Poles to a Stake, thence S. 45° W. 108 9/10 poles to a Stake, thence N. 45° W. 125 1/10 Poles to a Stake and thence N. 45° E. 108 9/10 Poles to the place of beginning.

To Henry Dashon Eighty Five Acres & thirteen and one half poles, by the following meter and bounds to wit Beginning at the South bounds of the 170 Acre Tract and running thence N. 45° W. 144 1/10 poles, to a Stake, thence N. 45° E. 49 7/10 to another Stake, thence S. 45° E. 60 Poles to another Stake, thence N. 45° E. 52 2/10 poles to a Stake, thence S. 45° E. 125 1/10 Poles another Stake, and thence S. 45° W. 108 9/10 poles to the place of beginning.

And your Petitioners further Report that in their opinion the said Farm Lot will not admit of Division because of the inconsiderable quantity of ground it contains that which would fall to each of the said Legatees and that for of inconsiderable value it being unimproved therefore they are further of opinion and advice recommend a Sale thereof pursant to the statute in such case made provided

Given under our hands & Seals at Vincennes this first day of March A. D. One thousand Eight hundred & Seventeen

Detail of Expenses	Geo. W. Johnstone (Seal)
To. G. W. Johnston 1 of the com	Eph[d] Jordan (Seal)
drawing Report 2 days a 9/———$[illegible]	Sam Dalson (Seal)
Eph[d] Jordan 3 days a 9/1———$4.50	
Sam Dalson as Court Surveyor 5	
day a 9/1———$[illegible]	

$13.50

The legal battle for land claims on and Small settlement in are made until 1832. By this time many of the grand children of Peter Barnhart are ready for marriage-and are buying land on their own.

Following is the final settlement for land for the heirs of Peter Barnhart (Barrnhart) Dec'd.

September Pa 8th day to September 1832-159
The Heirs of Peter Barhn Dec'd.
Petition for Division of Report of
Commissioners here to fore made

Be it remembered that here to fore to wit on the 10th day of March 1817 was filed in the clerks of the Knox Circuit Court Office the following petition to wit;

To the Hon. the Circuit Court of [illegible] County [illegible] in the report of the division of the real Estate of Peter Barkman decd. shown in the County of Elkhart as returned by the commissioners in the month of February 1842, there appears a mistake in the description of one of the tracts of land allotted and an omission of one of the heirs to whom an allotment was made & should have been reported that two of the said Commissioners are yet living, and in order to remedy the said errors & omissions the heirs and representatives interested in said division respectfully pray that the do report be referred back to the said commissioners to wit; Benj. & Beckers & Samuel Emison and that they have leave to make report to the present or the ensuing Term of this Court and as duty March of 7th 1852.

G. W. Johnston-Attorney

For the heirs of Peter Barkman dec'd.

and afterwards to wit on the same day and ninth day of March Term 1852 On motion of all the heirs of Peter Barkman upon petition filed by General W. Johnston third Attorney, it is ordered, that the commissioners Benjamine & Beckes & Samuel Emison Surviving Commissioners here to fore appointed for the partition of this Estate be and they are hereby directed to review their said report and to return to Court at the next term a Supplimental report if in their opinion justice requires it.

Be it remembered that here to fore to wit on the 8th day of September 1841 and 11th day of September 1842 came Samuel Emison & Benjamine & Beckes two of the Commissioners here to fore appointed in the above Case and filed the following report which said report is in the words and figures as follows to wit

State of Indiana

Elkhart County The undersigned two of the Commissioners here to fore appointed to divide the Real Estate of Peter Barkman dec'd Situate in the Said County of Elkhart amongst his several heirs and legal representatives and who have been directed by the Circuit Court of Said County to re examine and report upon the division here to fore made and returned to the said Court and to correct the errors which we unintentional made in said former report have so examined the same and now report as follows.

The Said Real estate Consists of the following lots & Tracts of land to wit a town lot on the near the Seminary Lot in the Town of Vistanna a tract of Land of one hundred and ninety five acres on the waters of Elkhart—Creek being part of 240 28/100 a granted to the heirs of said Peter Barkman deceased. Another tract of one hundred forty four acres and 60/100 on the waters of the River Duches joining Harbin & Robins and another tract of one hundred and Seventy Acres & including the farm called the Barkman place which we have divided and allotted and do now here by divide and allot as follows to wit

To Elisa Jane Caldwell offspring and only heir of Rebecca Barkman by John Caldwell her husband the quantity of one hundred and fifty acres land and twenty eight poles to be conveyed to her the said Elisa Jane her heirs and assigns by the Said Abraham Barkman & wife by the following notes and bounds to wit beginning at the South Corner of the 240 28/100 a., tract adjoining Christian Barkman and running thence N. 45° W. 99¾ poles to a Stake on the old Line thence E. 45° E. 242 25/100 poles to a stake thence S. 45° W. 99 6/100 pn to a Stake and thence 45° W. 242 25/100 pn to the place of beginning pr diagram here to annexed.

To William Snyder in right of his wife Susannah formerly Barkman their heirs & assigns to tract of 145 a on the waters of Nordan Creek.

To the heirs of Christian Barkman deceased Seventy one acres out of the tract joining Harbin & Robins on the river Duches by the following notes and bounds to wit beginning at the South Corner of the entire tract running thence N. 45° W. 47 poles to a Stake thence E. 45° E. 216 7/100 to another Stake thence S.

45° W. 20 7/100 poles to the place of begining.

To Abraham Barkman his heirs and afsigns Eighty five Acres 13½ poles out of the farm tract by the following metes and bounds to wit Begining at the North Corner of the 170 a- tract joining Nathanial Ewing and running thence S. 45° W. 125 1/100 po to a Stake thence S. 45° W. 108/100 po to stake thence N. 45° W. 125 po to a Stake thence N. 45° E. 108 po to the place of begining pr diagram A.

To Henry Barkman his heirs and afsigns Eighty five acres and thirteen and one half poles out of the 170 a- tract by the following metes and bounds to wit Begining at the South Corner of the entire tract and running thence N. 45° W. 141 1/100 poles to a Stake thence N. 45° E. 49 7/100 po to another Stake thence S. Stakes thence 45° W. 20 poles to another Stake thence N. 45° W. 51 2/100 po to a stake thence S. 45° E. 125 1/100 po to another stake thence S. 45° W. 100 9/100 po to the place of Begining The Said Abraham & wife shall convey to Said Henry Barkman his heirs a assigns a Special waranted deed at the costs and charges of the said Henrywhen ever called upon Forty nine and one half acres part and parcell of the Said 340 28/100 a Tract bought as af^d at Sheriff Sale by the following metes and bounds to wit Begining at the West Corner of the entiretract thence 45° W. 160 poles to a stake on Caldwell Line S. 45° W. 160 poles with Caldwell Line to a Stake on the old Line and thence N. 45° W. 49½ po to the place of Beginning pr Di^agram A

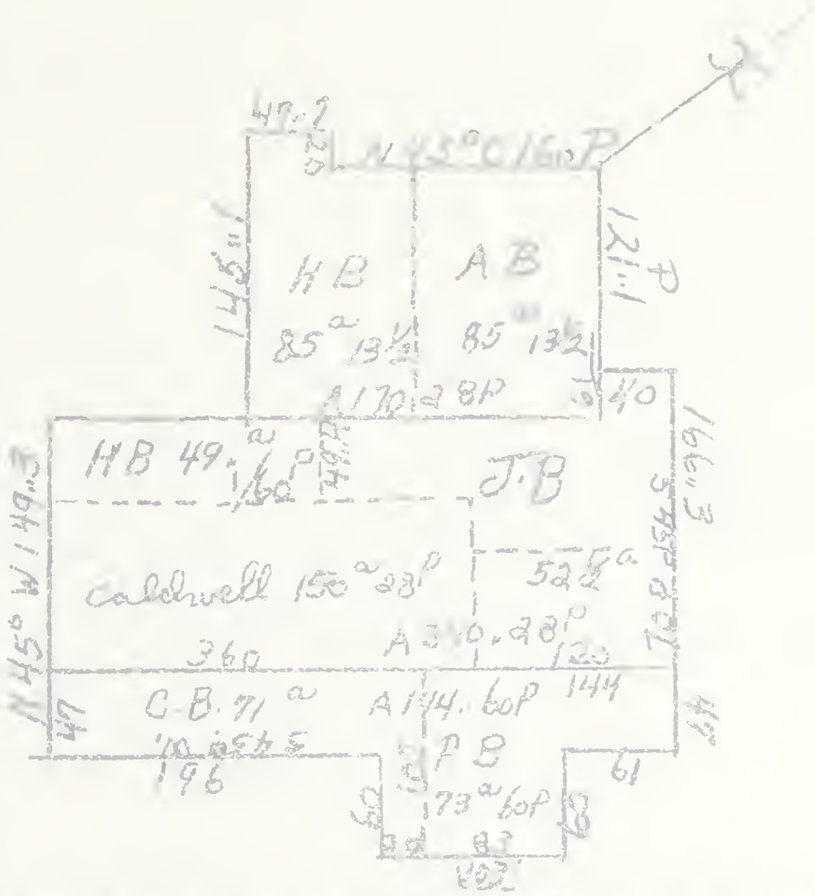
To John Barkman his heirs and asigns Seventy Three acres and 60/100 part and parcell of the 144 60/100 a Tract on the Waters of the Duchse Bagining at the north Corner of the entire tract thence 45° E. 47 poles to a stake Thence S. 45° W. 61 po to a Stake thence S. 45° E. 60 po to a stake thence S. 45° W. 83 poles to a Stake thence N. 45° W. 107 poles to a stake and thence N. 45° E. 144 poles to the place of Beginning and the said Abraham Barkmen & wife shall convey by special warantee deed when ever called upon and at the costs and charges of the said John. Fifty two and one half acres part and parcell of the aforesaid tract of 341 28/100 a- by the following metes and Bounds to wit beginning at the East Corner of the originel tract thence N. 45° W. 70 poles to a Stake thence S. 45° W. 120 poles to a stake on Caldwells Line thence S. 45 E. 70 poles to a Stake and thence N. 45° E. 120 poles to the place of Beginning pr Diagram A

And said Commissioners for there report that in their opinion the Said Town Lot will not admit of a division and therefore recommend a Sale thereof according to Law the Status. Given under our hands and seals at Vincennes this 21st. July A. D. 1832

Diagram A

The black lines show the lines of the original Survey, the dotted lines show lines added upon the report of Commissioners, as reported.

Samuel Milligan



And on the back of said report is the following endorsement to wit State of Indiana Knox County. Be it remembered that on this 21st. day of July A. D. 1832 before me the undersigned one of the Associate Judges in & for the said County Personally came the within named Benjamine & Reckes & Samuel Milligan the Commissioners within named and Acknowledge the Within and foregoing report to be their act and deed for the purpose there in mentioned and desired the same might be received and recorded as such

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal
R. P. Price
A. S. P. K. C. Seal

Section A-3

Of interest to many is the Gibson, Vanderburgh, Posey and Knox County, Indiana, published in 1870 by the American Map Pub. Company of Indianapolis, Indiana. The following are the list of Barkmans (Barrackman) having land in Knox County, Indiana at this time

Names	Page 324	Decker Township	Discription	S	T	R	Acres
Barkman, Andrew		"	" e pt lot 2	19	1	11	35
" "		"	" e pt lot 3	19	1	11	16
Barkman, Isabella		"	" w h f s w frl	35	1N	11	55
Barkman, Robert		"	" lot 1 or n e frl	23	1	11	17
" , Robert	325	"	" s e q r s e w q r	13	1	11	40
Barkman, A		"	" lot w n h f w h f w h f frl	29	1	11	51
" , "		"	" w pt or lots 2&3	19	1	11	10
Barkman, T.C. heirs	331	Harrison	" w h f s u r n 1 42		2	9	131
Barkman, Wm S.	342	Johnson	" n c end Sew 2		2	10	75
Barkman, Wm H.		"	" n w pt sur 12		2	10	70
Barkman, Eliza		"	" s e f r 1	11	2	10	67
Barkman, Abm		"	" pt sur 3		2	10	76
" , Andrew		"	" pt sur 3		2	10	77

For any one interested in Probate Records and deeds to land on the Barrackman-Barkman-Barckman families of Knox County, Indiana, these records may be found in Vincennes in the Court House.

The Barrackman family by 1830 or so are using Barkman as the family name. Later records will show they use the name Barckman. This is the only group of Barrackmans in the entire U. S. to use Barckman. So where ever you see the name Barckman, you can be sure they came originally from Knox County, Indiana.

Following are listed records found in the D. A. R. room in the Vincennes Indiana, public library. These show the Barkmans interest as civic minded citizens of Vincennes Indiana.

BARLY KNOX COUNTY, INDIANA COURT RECORDS

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The Petitions of a number of the citizens of the County of Knox

To the worshipful, the judges and justices of the Court of Common Plans and quarter section showeth.

The road now leading from Vincennes to the Grand Rapids of the Ohio being a matter of publick utility and we, your humble petitioners willing to promote the publick good, do herefore pray that the worshipful judges and justices of the court aforesaid, for the order to clear out repair to elect bridges and crossways thereon as far as the lower sugar leaf and your petitioners will ever pray.

Henry Barkman	Michael Thorn	Ephraim Jordan
John Westfall	John Small	Johathan Harvey
Jos. Willis	Ed Johnston	Abraham Barkman
B. Gillen	Christopher Hyant	Isaac Westfall

PETITION OF SUNDRY INHABITANTS OF THE COUNTY TO THE COURT FOR A ROAD TERM, NOVEMBER OF 1798.

Return of the valuation of each house in town tenalott and lott or _____ House in the County of Knox, Indiana Territory. Water Mills, Wind Mills in the said county. Agreeable to a Law of the Territory in that case made and provided V2.

Property or occupants name
Vacatar Valuation
House or Lott Mills in Dollars
Abe Barkman 200 dollars Vincennes township No Date.

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(amount of certificate)
Amount of certificate given to individuals for labor performed on the road leading from Vincennes to White River Station in Decker Township for payment of road _____ for the year of 1816.
To John Barkman 0.62½

Phillip Catts return as Road Supervisior for Decker Township, October 1, 1816

Page 64
To John Cohltree and Geo. Leech, esquires
Commissioners of Knox County.
The petitions of sundry inhabitants of Decker Town ship respectfully showeth that your petitioners labour under continued difficulties and inconveniences _____ by the great extent and ill shape of their township, and pray that your honorable body will take into consideration the expediency and propriety of Dividing it in the manner following, viz:
Beginning on the back of the White River above James Purcell's place and running up the cypress swam till it strikes the river Deshee, and then from thence up to the great marshy prairie which runs past Fredrich wheels to where Vincennes Township line crosses said Marsch, and also that you will order an election of one Justice of the peace in said township. And your petitioners will pray and so forth, July 5, 1817.

(listed on back of petition are 34 names, among them:

Abraham Barkman Henry Burickman Petition for the Division of Decker Township. Filed & Entered November 10, 1817.

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Hart Street Road
The Honorables-The Commissioners in and for the Court of Knox at their meeting to be holden at the Court House in Vincennes on Second Monday, November next.
The petitioners of the undersigned citizens of the County, aforesaid respectifully showeth,
That where as the road now leading from Vincennes to White River are in many respects exceptionable, particularly the one leading to Deckers Ferry. Which is by no means adapted to the general accomodations of the County and Borough of Vincennes. It is in the first place more circletis than there is any necessity for, and in the second place it passes over some sliding hills which might be shunned, and through the pond in back of Vincennes, in a very

[illegible] and swampy place, which at [illegible] is almost impassable. Your honorable petitioners therefore pray that your honorable body will grant an order for a road, leading from Market Street, thence crossing the Road at Wallace Ridge, thence by "Abraham Barchmans", David Beal, Elias Spoller, Stark Hill and to the intersect of the Road leading to Louisville, the nearest and best way. Vincennes Sept. 22, 1817 by John Barkman

Road Petition 15. To cross road at Wallace Ridge.
Entered 11-10-1817.

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State of Indiana, Knox County, Johnson Township 2-23-1840
We, the undersigned petitioners, pray the Honorable Board of Knox County commissioners for a Vacation uv a part uv a county road, leading from Michals Thornes, thence to Frederick Nail's to the Township line of Vincennes near where the old pore house use to stand.

Judge John Barkman	Isaac Nail
Andrew Barkman	Albert Barkman
Abe Jr Barkman	Ephraim Jordan
Joshua Barkman	Joseph Barkman
Henry Jr Barkman	James Barkman

(These above are 3rd generation Barakmans in Knox County, Indiana)

Filed 3-2-1840 W. R. Mc Cord CLK

Early Court Records Feb 27th 1847
The changing Road runing King's Mill thru George Leaches land and around west end of farm to Vincennes signed by Aaron Kirk Isaac Kirk Mc Huffman Julia Kirk sister of Jane Kirk, wife of Thomas Barakman

Aug 1833 Road leading from Moses Catts to Little Rock Wabash as laid out and opened as a county road interferes naturely with his farm of Jacob Jacobus-Jacob Anthis, by cutting them Diagonaly, by changing it about 150 yards it will not injure anyone but benefits Jacobus and Anthis. New Road at Bayou between Jacob Jacobus and Jacob Anthis to run left following back of Bayou to line between Jacobus and the Line to Isaac Doches

Signed
Martin Anthis
Jacob Anthis
George Anthis
Jacob Jacobus

(Anthis and Jacobus marry into Barakman family.

The Kirk-Anthis-and Jacobus men all fought in various wars from Pennsylvania and Virginia in the Revolutionary War of 1812 in Indiana.

All the Kirk family will be traced in great detail. Rachael Jane Kirk was my great-great grandmother. I will appreciate any knowledge of early Kirk families from Pennsylvania to Indiana.

Elizabeth Anthis was my great, great, great grandmother. All Anthis in Vincennes stem from one early Anthis family. The Anthis were early settlers in Pennsylvania. They were also in Virginia and Maryland. All help on this line will be appreciated.

June B. Barekman

Further research in the probate office at the court house, turned up many early Barkman marriages.

These are all recorded in Knox County, Indiana.

Annie H. Barakman to Allen Reel	October	1,	1890
C. Barakman to W. Gilmore	March	26,	1863
Eliza Barakman to Jos. Nunley	August	2,	1889
Eunice Barackman to Marshall Rodarmel	January	27,	1891
Hannah Barakman to James Prisnell	August	10,	1880
Alconder Barekman to Ida Sanders	July	28,	1892
Eliza Barekman to Chas. Dreiman	April	7,	1892
Isabelle Barekman to Lark M. Anthis	March	25,	1877
Isabelle Haslett Barekman to William Finney Thorne	September	5,	1877
Laura E. Barackman to Joel B. King	December	7,	1891
May Barckman to Elijah C. Dillinger	November	12,	1891
Mary Belle Barckman to Albert S. Leech	November	24,	1892
Samuel Hamilton Barckman to Sarah Catt	October	6,	1878
Maggie Barekman to Payton J. Campton	December	3,	1896
Angeline Barekman to John F. Gillmore	August	17,	1871
Alice M. Barekman to James Lefferty	October	23,	1872
Anna Barekman to William Barnett	January	26,	1902
Bessie Barekman to Oscar Meyer	November	3,	1920
Charlie K. Barekman to Mary Valentine Meyers	March	14,	1891
Curren M. Barekman to Mattie E. Price	November	14,	1883
Emma D. Barekman to James W. Ray	September	23,	1874
Elizabeth Barekman to George W. McGiffen			
Hattie E. Barekman to Dan W. Summit	March	3,	1889
Henry Barekman to Elizabeth Young	January	11,	1874
Isaac Barekman to Belle Parcell	August	15,	1869
John Barekman to Essie Compton	April	6,	1898
Karl Barekman to Clara Mahen	January	13,	1916
Lambert Barekman to Alice B. Hess	December	27,	1881
Lyman H. Barekman to Margaret Roxana Beckes	October	6,	1874
Leroy Ann Barekman to John J. Rodarmel	April	3,	1881
Mantle Barekman to Lillie A. Lane	November	30,	1893
Marshall Barekman to Katie Reel	April	27,	1896
Mattie Barekman to William Knowland	April	6,	1881
Maud Barekman to Frank Dilly	February	16,	1897
Myrtle Barekman to J. O'Donnel	July	21,	1898
Robert Barekman to Martha Cree	December	17,	1872
Wm. C. Barekman to Mary A. Vealting	November	12,	1873
Wm. H. Barekman to Lizzie Cardinal	October	21,	1873
Anna Barkman to Fielding Catt	March	16,	1863
Eilen Barekman to Hiram N. Langley	December	7,	1865
Hannah E. Barkman to John J. Smith	September	29,	1864
Samuel Hamilton Barekman to Mary Claycomb	August	21,	1859
Henry F. Barkman to Nancy Ann McCormick	April	14,	1853
Julia Barekman to Uriah Humphrey	October	8,	1856

John K. Barkman to Sarah A. Seden	July	6,	1857
John Barkman to Melinda Evans	November	23,	1867
Mercy Barkman to William Joseph Grigsn	December	27,	1847

Further research turned up the following
Early Knox County Marriages

Melinda Barkman to Henry A. Edwards	December	27,	1847
Margaret A. Barkman to Abe Westfall	October	25,	1850
Martha Barkman to Ed. McCormick	October	22,	1857
Milly Barekman to Jocob Jacobus	August	5,	1858
Susan Barkman to Joseph Dillinger	October	28,	1875
Susan C. Barkman to Samuel Westfall	January	13,	1861
John Barkman to Jane Hannah	July	24,	1810
Sarah Barkman to William G. K. Johnston	March	23,	1834
Andrew Barkman to Carlotte Jordan	October	23,	1834
Peter Barkman to Mary Van Camp	February	28,	1835
Peter Barkman to Patience Granis	October	20,	1843
Abraham Barkman to Ellen Warfe	November	12,	1835
David Barkman to Lucinda Parmenter	December	10,	1836
Rebecca Barkman to John Caldwell	December	23,	1807
Henry Barkman to Elizabeth Barkman	January	19,	1843
Wm. Hanna Barkman to Julia Ann Smith	May	12,	1850
Thomas C. Barkman to Racheal Jane Kirk	June	20,	1850
Julia Ann Barkman to William Kirk	December	3,	1850
Rebecca Barkman to Isaac Sanders	August	23,	1841
Susan Barkman to Jacob Pea	May	31,	1820
Katherine Barrackman to Frederick Claycomb	July	29,	1827
Margaret Barkman to John Setzler	October	9,	1827
Elizabeth Barkman to Hezekiah Hyatt	August	23,	1834
Elisa Barkman to Alexander Underwood	December	26,	1837
William S. Barkman to Diadema Morgan	August	20,	1842
Minnesota Barekman to Joseph Gale	June	28,	1880
John Barkman to Lydia Hayes	April	4,	1820
Sherman Barekman to Myrtle May	December	25,	1903
Fannie H. Barekman to Allen Reel	March	3,	1867
Ralph Barekman to LaVerne Holt	August	31,	1921
Margaret Barkman John Alton	July	29,	1823
Mary Barkman to Solomon Thorne	September	13,	1832
Abraham Barrackman to Elizabeth Anthis, Knox County, Indiana			1799
Nancy Barkman to Henry DuBois	August	5,	1868
Abraham Barkman to Eliza Harness (Married by John Barkman, Associate Judge of Knox Circuit Court)	August	20,	1839
Andrew Barkman to Eliza Fitch Also married by Judge Barkman	February	8,	1847

A FEW EARLY ILLINOIS MARRIAGES

David Barrickman to Racheal Moon	August	25,	1842
Ellen Barrackman to Sheridon Tomblin	February	10,	1870
Michael J. Barrackman to Fannie W. Goodyear	October	18,	1866
Michael J. Barrackman to Alice C. Tuttle	December	6,	1876
Mary Barrackman to William T. Gary	March	9,	1859

Brown Barrackman to Francis H. Flowers	February 1[illegible],	1844
Isaac Barrickman to Sabie Nell	October 4,	1850
John A. Barrakman to Olive C. Bell	December 16,	1872
Margaret Barrackman to Martin King	February 20,	1859
Elizabeth Barrackman to John King	June 1,	1855
Brown Barrkman to Martha J. Clubb	January 2[illegible],	1854
Jacob A. Barrkman to Mary Ellen Williams	February 17,	188[illegible]

Most of these Barrackmans are Knox County Indiana Men.

Children of Peter Barrackman who were in Knox County, Indiana, for any length of time.

While Christian Barrackman did return to Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, at least for awhile, we will include his records in this section Part 2.

Christian Barrackman was a son of Elizabeth Anthis Barrackman, the records so state.

As Peter Barrackman does not Marry Elizabeth Antis (Anthis) until around 1770, and Christian is Born Ca. 1764, Christian is either a son of Peters first wife Ursella Barrackman, and a step son to Elizabeth Barrackman. or else Christian is a son by a former marriage for Elizabeth. We have not been able to prove many records on Christian Barrackman.

The following is an account that includes the names of Christian Barrackman, who is old enough to purchase Brandy from Moses Henry.

An Account of desperate debts of MOSES HENRY deceased now in the hand of the Administrator Viz.

No.		Liver	Lots
1.	A Certificate from Col. Lagras in fav of Mr. Small	56	
2.	A "Do" from Levens Master on public in fav McMillon	402	
3.	A Box of Vigo's far pr gallon cyder	4	
4.	An order drawn by E. Coxton on Vigo order, infav	8	
5.	An Accounty in fav of MOSES HENRY as FRANCOIS VIGO	582	5
6.	FATHER PIERRE GIBAULT 2 bono for 1 gall Whisky	16	
7.	Same " 2 Do for 1 gallon Cyder	8	
8.	Pelgie Valles 1 Do. for 4 qts of Cyder	8	
9.	Pierre Lefevre 1 Do. for 2 qts of Cyder	4	
10.	C Leffount 1 Do. for 2 qts of Cyder	4	
11.	Perre Gamlin 3 Do. for 3 gallons cider	24	
12.	An account against Cardine 4 bushell corn	65	10
13.	An account against Mr. Johnson	10	10
14.	An account against Mr. Hunot	15	
15.	An account against Mr. Kirky	48	
16.	An account against Mr. Ferro	7	
17.	An account against Mr. Lasselle	10	
18.	An account against Mr. Howis Estate	25	
19.	An account against Paul Gamlin	16	
20.	An account against Mr. Bradley	4	
21.	An account against Antoine Gamlin	35	
22.	An account against Mr. Cornoyer	16	
23.	An account against Mr. Dodre	16	10
24.	An account against Mr. Legrand	22	"

25.	An account against CHRISTIAN BARRACKMAN	3	10
26.	An account against Mr. Chapelon	130	"
27.	An account against Fredbrook Salmon in	24	"
28.	A Doc of Samuel Davenport for	6	"
29.	An account against Mr. Gibault in corn	25	5
	Amount carried Forward		
	Livers	1635	5
No.	Amount Brought Forward Livers	1635	5 Dolo
30.	A note of hand on Rachel Hartain's	1635	5
	given to Will Shannon by same to M. Henry	36	—
31.	An account against Ralph Matson in fav. of	34	
31.	MOSES HENRY dec d for		
32.	A "Do" agst Mr. Beoseron in fav. of same	1067	15
33.	An order drawn by Conger Harbin	10	
	Livers	2703	00

E. E.

Robert Johnston Adams

"MOSES HENRY came with FATHER GIBAULT and HELM from Kaskaskia to Vincennes", MOSES HENRY accompanied Co. Geo. Rogers Clark into the fort at Vincennes after its capture. MOSES HENRY was a signer of the "Oath of Allegiance", in 1778. He died in 1789. As early as 1781 CHRISTIAN BARRACKMAN and John Barrackman (dec'd 1783 had been in Vincennes and were friends of Moses Henry.

Christian Barrackman also served as a Militia Man in Vincennes in 1790 under Francois Vigo.

Rebecca Barrackman was born in Pennsylvania, date unknown. In Knox County, Indiana on December 23, 1807 Rebecca Barrackman married John Caldwell. John Caldwell was born in Brownsville, Pennsylvania. John Caldwell served under Captain Lane, who commanded a detachment of men from Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania during the Revolutionary War.

John Caldwell was appointed Receivers of Monies at Kaskaskia in 1812. John and Rebecca Barrackman Caldwell had one child, a daughter Elisa Jane Caldwell. At a later date Elisa Jane Caldwell is to receive her mothers share of Peter Barrackmans Estate.

Rebecca Barrackman Caldwell died Oct. 1813. In 1814 John Caldwell married Sarah Bodolett, the date February 9, 1814. John Caldwell is then appointed receivers of money at Shawnee Town, Illinois. Elisa Jane Caldwell marries Alexander Kirk Patrick of Shawneetown, Illinois.

Rebecca Barrackman is the child of Peter and Elizabeth Antis Barrackman.

Susannah Barrackman- date of birth unknown. She was probably born in Pennsylvania, and is older than her sister Rebecca. Susannah married William Snyder. He was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. He served in the Lancaster Militia in 1780. He also served in various other units, and did duty in Northumberland County, Pennsylvania. William Snyder was honorably discharged as an Ensign in 1783. William Snyder had a land grant in 1785 in Harrison Township, Knox County, Indiana. As husband to Susannah he received land from Peter Barrackman. Deeded to them and their heirs-as recorded in early court papers. This land

was on the Teabes River and adjoined land given to Peter Barrackman other heirs. See section on land. William Snyder died in 1822. Susannah' date of death is not known. They had the following issue. Henry-who married Amanda Whitcomb, John, James, George, and William Jr.. In 1826 William Sr., helped build a road in Palmyra Township, Knox County, Indiana. Further correspondence on this family is invited. Susanna is a child of Peter and Ursella Barrackman.

Elizabeth Barrackman born March 25, 1786, was the last born child of Peter Barrackman and his wife Elizabeth Anthis. She was born in Knox County, Indiana. Elizabeth was baptised by Father Gibault, the "Patriot Priest of the West". It is not known if Elizabeth grew to woman hood, we have no records on her other than this date of birth.

The following sections of part 2- will contain the lines of the three sons of Peter and Elizabeth Barrackman from the year of 1785 through 1962.

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Christian Barkman has now been proven to be the son of Peter and Elizabeth Barrackman. Christian is named in Peter Barrackman's will.

From court records of Knox County, Indiana, 1817-1820 P. 161

Children of former wife of Peter Barkman sue to get re-division of land. They were not named in will. Case reviewed:--Commissioners say that they did right when they divided land accordingly to heirs named in will. (see pages A-3 through A-8). (Christian is named in will, as are girls (daughters)--Susanna Snyder and Rebecca Caldwell. So these three are now properly accounted for in the correct family group.)

It had been thought that Christian Barkman may have died in Westmorsland, Pennsylvania. We have uncovered court records proving Christian lived and died in Knox County, Indiana and that he had at least one heir.

A child named Martha was this heir. We do not know her mother's name as yet, nor where they were married.

Martha Barkman married Christopher Wyant. Records show that Christopher Wyant came to settle in Knox County, Indiana in 1785. This was the same year that the Barrackmans settled in Knox County.

Christopher Wyant was an ensign in the Vincennes Militia in the year of 1790.

Both Christian Barkman and Christopher Wyant received 100 acres of land for militia service for 1790. Christian Barkman also had land left to him from his father's estate. He, in addition, had purchased land at a later date.

From Knox County, Indiana records--the minutes of probate court, 1790-1805. The twentieth of April, 1798. Adm. of estate granted to Elizabeth Barrickman, mother of the deceased. --deceased is Christian Barkman.

Court of Common Pleas 1801-1806. March term of 1806. Elizabeth Barkman--adm. of Christian Barkman deceased. Filling of the account current of her adm. of estate.

Also Elizabeth Barkman adm. of Christian Barkman deceased, vs. Christopher Wyant, adm. of Hugh Dempsey; to recover 200.00 due Barkman estate from Hugh Dempsey estate.

Martha Barkman, the wife of Christopher Wyant, becomes a widow in the year of 1820, and the following appears in the Vincennes "Western Sun", issue of December 9th, 1820, page 3, column 3.

TO THE HEIRS AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF CHRISTIAN BARKMAN DECEASED

I shall apply at the next circuit court to be held in

and for the county of Knox and state of Indiana for a partition of all of the lands belonging to the deceased man's estate. Said lands lying within the said county and agreeable to the statute in such cases made and provided where those concerned may attend if they think proper. William R. McCall.

In right of Martha (Barkman) Wyant, and others. December 2nd, 1820.

This above was published on December 9th, December 16th, December 23rd, December 30th, 1820, and January 6th, 1821.

Appearing in the same paper dated December 9th, 1820:-- William McCall serves notice that he is going to apply for a partition of lands in right of his wife--Elizabeth (child of Christopher Wyant and Martha Barkman Wyant). These are the lands of the estate of Christopher Wyant.

Then on April 2nd, 1821 from circuit court records:--

On motion of William McCall in right of Martha Wyant and others ordered by the court that John Badolett, Samuel T. Scott, George McClure are hereby appointed to make a division of all the lands belonging to the heirs and legal representatives of Christian Barkman deceased, real estate lying within the county of Knox agreeably to the statute in such cases provided to report to the next term of court.

On the same page the same commissioners are appointed to divide land of Christopher Wyant deceased. William McCall signs in the right of his wife--Elizabeth--the late Elizabeth Wyant and Henry Wyant.

On April 12th, 1821, the commissioners appointed to divide the estate of Christopher Wyant report:--We have set off for the widow's dower:--the part of the tract contained within the lines ABCDEFGH of the diagram containing 146 acres. Then follows land to the children of Martha Barkman Wyant and Christopher Wyant.

To John Wyant we have allotted tract C containing 40 acres.

To Henry Wyant we have allotted tract 5--40 acres.

To William Wyant we have allotted tract 4--40 acres.

To James Wyant we have allotted tract 3--40 acres.

To Mary Ann Wyant we have alloted tract 2--40 acres.

To Elizabeth (Wyant) McCall we have allotted tract 1--40 acres.

To George Wyant--the northern half of a tract of 100 acres, lying below the forks of the White River, the division lines to run

parallel with the north and south boundary of the same. Also the northern half of a tract of 50 acres lying on the west side of White River joining the last on the eastern side thereof out of a tract of 50 acres.

To Rebecca Wyant--the southern half of each of the above mentioned tracts. The division line of the two 50 acres to be run so that the said George and Rebecca Wyant may have a landing from and to their respective tracts and each may keep a ferry thereon. (The division line has not been actually run, but when it is, it must be in conformity with the principles herein laid down.

To Susan Wyant we have allotted 75 acres, part of a tract of 100 acres lying in the neck of White River, joining Abraham Kykendall.

The remaining 25 acres together with 50 acres in the Barrens, joining Henry Barkman (brother of Christian Barkman) and the widow Warner, we have directed to be sold and the proceeds therefore to be divided in equal shares amongst the several heirs. (A map is shown as to land and divisions.)

The Christopher Wyant estate and Christian Barkman estate both remain in unsettled states until 1825 when more records appear on the Christopher Wyant estate. The last division of land for heirs of Christian Barkman which includes the Wyants takes place in 1832.

Martha Wyant makes application for the minor children of Christopher Wyant deceased--as his widow. She is then appointed guardian to James Wyant--age next birthday 13; William Wyant--age 11; Mary Ann Wyant--age 6. She enters into bond with William McClure and John Badolett as her sureties in the sum of 1400.00 for the faithful discharge of the duties as said guardian.

There were nine children born to Martha Barkman and Christopher Wyant.

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The following is an account of the land holdings of Christopher Wyant, as taken from the American State Papers, Volume on Public Lands.

> The first mention of Christopher Wyant appears in records of the Fifth Congress, Number 44, 3rd Session, Grants to Settlers in Vincennes and Illinois, the year of 1798.
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> Christopher Wyant claims 400 acres of land on the head of South Fork of the little river of Mill Creek, one side to Charles Langelo. The other side--vacant land of Louis Metlye (?). It has been proved to Col. Sargent that there was an ancient possession upon the tract of 160 aprents(?). This quantity must be surveyed for Christopher Wyant.

In the year of 1806, Christopher Wyant, assignee of Pierre Cartier, claims 50 acres, a sugar camp-right, near where Abraham Westfall now lives. (This land seems to adjoin the Barrackman acres of Sugar Camp.)

In 1806 for "claims under court deeds" we find that Alexander Fowler claims the orginal land of Christian Barkman. This is 340 acres. Also the land of Christopher Wyant--136 acres. That Alexander Fowler is in some manner related to both Barkman and Wyant is known. He, however, seems intent over a period of years on securing all the Barkman land that he can claim.

In 1807 Christopher Wyant is busy buying up land from the original claimants.

From Louis Bayer he buys 50 acres--illegally surveyed. This is south of the White River.

From the heirs of Francis Cader 50 acres--not surveyed. No mention of location.

From Gabriel Hunat 50 acres, not surveyed.

From Louis Meteye 136 acres, surveyed on the waters of Mill Creek. This land adjoined lands of Christopher Wyant already owned.

From Jean Baptise Rovolet, 50 acres not surveyed. Located one mile below forks of White River on west side of Wabash. This adjoins land Wyant already owns.

Christopher Wyant sells 400 acres to John Stillwell in 1807 on Wabash River joining Touissant Dubois land.

Christopher Wyant also buys from Pierre Andre land granted to the latter in virtue of military rights.

The original land of Jean Baptiste Bino--surveyed--is bought by Christian Wyant on the waters of Mill Creek. Christopher Wyant has land as original claimant on the waters of Little River.

From the above--it would seem that the French were impoverished--and Wyant lost no time in purchasing whatever land he could. From the land that goes to Christopher Wyant's children upon his death it is apparent that he had the means to purchase the amount of land which he owned. Some of this land adjoins that of the Barkman family. This caused extra legal difficulties for the heirs of the Barkman and Wyant claimants.

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ABRAHAM BARRACKMAN
OF KNOX COUNTY, INDIANA

Abraham Barrackman was born in Pennsylvania, in Westmoreland County on February 22, 1771. He was brought to what is now Knox County, Indiana about 1785. The Barrackmans lived on the River DuChein. When Abe was 14 years old he was captured by the Plankashaw Indians and taken to the head-waters of the White River, where he was held captive for six months.

Taken from: History of Knox and Daviess Counties Indiana, The Goodspeed Publishing Co. 1886, page 542-3

(incorrect about 1771)

"Abraham Barekman was born in Pennsylvania in 1774. At the age of ten years he was brought to Indiana, where the parents in time acquired 800 acres of land. They settled on it, and after a short time the Indians went on the war path, and they were obliged to take refuge in Vincennes for protection. Here they lived about ten years, and while there the father died. The mother lived several years longer. Abraham, his brother, and two other parties left the fort on a hunting expedition, and while in camp one night were surprised and captured by a party of Indians, and taken to the head waters of the White River, where they were kept about six months. The braves were away at war, and they were left under the care of the old men and women. Taking advantage of this circumstance they made their escape, and returned home and went to work on the farm where his children still live. In 1799 he was married to Elizabeth Anthis, born in 1775, in Virginia. In their family were seven children: Margaret, Susan, Catharine, Isaac, Abraham Jr., William and Andrew. The father served as one of the minute men in an early day. He, as well as all the boys, was a stanch Democrat. He was a farmer and worked at that and blacksmithing and gunsmithing. He died in 1850 and his widow in 1871. Abraham and Andrew Barekman have lived on the old homestead ever since. The former was born in 1811, and the latter in 1817. They obtained their education in the old-fashioned log schoolhouse, and have since led a quiet, unassuming life. Abraham is a bachelor. Andrew was married in 1847 to Louisa J. Fitch, who bore him seven children: Abraham, John, Lewis, Angeline, Laura, Andrew and Ellis R.. Mrs. Barekman died in 1883. Abraham and Andrew have excellent health, and have the confidence and respect of all who know them."

In the year of 1799, Abe married Elizabeth Anthis, who was born in Virginia and taken to Decker Township at an early age. The Anthis family were early settlers in Decker Township and owned quite a lot of land along the White River and the Wasbash River, Knox County, Indiana.

Elizabeth Anthis was born December 26, 1775. She was related to the Anthis family of which Abe's mother was also related. They may have been cousins.

Knox County, Indiana in the years of its formation were constantly beseiged with Indians on the war path. Al able bodied man served in the Vincennes Militia. Abe had service under Captain Perre Gamelin in 1790 and also saw service under Major Francois Vigo in 1790. Abe received 100 acres of land as a donation for services rendered as a militia man.

From the History of Knox County,-Chapter IX-is the following article.

"Quite a number of Revolutionary heroes settled at Vincennes after the close of that memorable struggle; among them were Benjamin Parke, Henry Vanderburg and Gen. W. Johnson. These men did good service in the Indian wars later. Almost all the inhabitants capable of bearing arms were members of some militia company, and prepared for service at a moment's warning. The following is the list of effectives belonging to Capt. Pierre Gamelin's Company: Paul Gamelin, Captain

[illegible] Thorn, [illegible] Thorn, [illegible] and Jeremiah Meyers, [illegible] Johnson, [illegible] Johnson, Joseph Cloud, [illegible] Pea, [illegible] Cooper, [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], Robert Day, [illegible] Shoebrook, [illegible] Westfall, Ed Johnson, Joshua Harris, John Hobbins, John Martin, Abe Westfall, [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], Daniel Smith, [illegible] Johnson, Abraham Barrack, [illegible], John Blue Jones, Patrick Simpson, John Wilmore, Frederick [illegible], Nathan Dubois, Hugh [illegible], John Gilbert, Robert Caraven and Isaac Carpenter.

In all the wars which have been waged in the United States since the organization of Knox County, which in any way affected the county, her military record has been honorable. From the time of the capture of Vincennes, February 24, 1779 by Col. Clark and his heroic band, to the close of the second war of independence. The men serving as militiamen in 1790 were each allowed 100 acres of land for their services. The following is a roster of the militia at Vincennes, as returned by Maj. Francois Vigo, on July 19, 1790; Robert Mayes, James Holliday, John Martin, Fred Mathler, Michael Thorn, John Small, James Watt, Joseph Cloud, John Wilmore, Robert Day, James Johnson, Geoffrey Pollen, Peter Thorn, Thomas Jordan, Christ., Wyant, John Westfall, Jacob Thorn, Dick Ryan, Henry Vanderburg, John Mehl, Richard Dick, B. Frederick Phillip (captain), Jacob Pea, John Pea, Ralph Matson, Ike Decker, Abraham Decker, Moses Decker, Abraham Snapp, Louis Frederick, Samuel Moore, Thomas Dick, Jonathan Cooper, A. Ramsey, Jacob Tevarbaugh, John Decker, William Duggan, Fred Linden, John Mehl, Daniel Thorn, John Lane, John Murphy, Peter Barrier, Solomon Thorn, Daniel Smith, John——, William Smith, Daniel Pea, Charles Thorn, Abraham Barrackman, Matthew Dobbin, John Darrett, Edward Shoebrook, James Johnson, J. R. Johns, William Mayes, Jeremiah Mayes, Abe Westfall, John Harbin, Joshua Harbin, Daniel Meredith, Henry Holliday, Patrick Simpson, and Francois Vigo. These men and others did service in occasional "brushes" with the Indians til the general outbreak in 1811.

In the Colonial History of Vincennes was this following list of Militia

THE
COLONIAL HISTORY OF VINCENNES,
UNDER THE
FRENCH, BRITISH AND AMERICAN GOVERNMENTS,

FROM ITS FIRST SETTLEMENT DOWN TO THE TERRITORIAL ADMINISTRATION OF GENERAL WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, BRING AN ADDRESS

DELIVERED

BY JUDGE LAW

BEFORE
THE VINCENNES HISTORICAL AND ANTIQUARIAN SOCIETY,
FEBRUARY 22D, 1839

VINCENNES
HARVEY, MASON & CO.
1858

I
LIST
OF EFFECTIVE MEN BELONGING TO CAPT. PIERRE GAMELIN'S COMPANY AT POST VINCENNES, JULY 4TH, 1790

1 Christopher Wyant, Ensign,
2 Peter Thorn, Sergeant,
3 Frederick Mehl, do,
4 Jeremiah Mays, do,
5 Richard Johnson, Cadet,
6 Robert Johnson,
7 Joseph Cloud,
8 Daniel Pea,
9 John Loc,
10 Godfrey Peters,
11 John Murphy,
12 John Laferty,
13 Frederick Barger,
14 George Barger,
15 Peter Barger,
16 Frederick Midler,
17 Benj. Beckes,
18 Robert Day,
19 Edward Shoebrook,
20 John Westfall,
21 Edward Johnson,
22 Joshua Harbin,
23 John Robbins,
24 John Martin,
25 Abraham Westfall,
26 James Watts,
27 Thomas Jordan,
28 William Smith,
29 Daniel Smith,
30 James Johnson,
31 Ezekiel Holiday,
32 Michael Thorne,
33 Solomon Thorne,
34 Daniel Thorne,
35 Charles Thorne,
36 Christian Barkman,
37 Abraham Barkman,
38 John Rhee Jones,
39 Patrick Simpson,
40 John Wilmore,
41 Frederick Lindsy,
42 Mathew Dibbons,
43 Hugh Demsey,
44 John Culbert,
45 Robert Garavert,
46 Isaac Carpenter.

"Ordered that Abe Barrackman be appointed and do serve as a constable for the county for the ensuing year" Pierre Gamlin Feb. 1799

Records in early court cases show he served with honor and without malice. Abe also was active in civic affairs and helped serve on committee to determine where new roads should be built, townships laid out and bridges built.

Received from Henry Coward five Dollars fifty cents for Sundries work Done to John Rodhermel this day for me this 30th day of March 1796
at Vincennes _____
Tist Abraham Corgwen
Christ. Wyant Abraham Barkman

MAY TERM 1798
Common Pleas Court-1795 to 1799

Abraham Barrackman
vs Case SI: da 5000#
Patrick Simpson

Patrick Simpson was attached to answer Abraham Barrackman of the said county in a plea wherefore he slandered and defamed the said Abraham to his damage Five Thousand dollars, as he saith, the def.' appeared in his proper person and the same was continued until the next Term at which time to wit the 3th day of May one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight the Pltf. appeared and ordered his suit dismissed.

In Account of the Personal Estate of Joshua Harbin dec., Sold By Publick Vandue at his late Dwelling house on Saturday the 26th of May 1798

Pursuant to Publick Notice

	L	L	D
Four Yards new flamen John Harbin	,,	16	,,
Four Dozen Butons Isaaac Miner	,,	4	6
Four Small Brushes four hat Buckles One pair Shoos Buckles A Phraham Foerdon	,,	4	,6
Three Razors one Shavin Box Jns H arbin	,,	,3	,,
Sundrie Pieces of Callice Abraham Westfall	,6	12	,,
Two Earthen Dishes, 6 places Jns Springer	,1	,1	,,
One Brass Candlestick Jns Small	,,	,2	,,
One Dito Jns Harbin	,,	11	,6
One pair of Millards Eg^{e} Ramsay	,1	,2	,6
Bed Quilt Abraham Westfall	,3	15	,,
Bed and Bedstead Sam^{e}, McComb	,7	,4	,,
Bed tike Jns Springer	,2	,8	,,
Buflo Rug Micheal Thorn	,,	12	,,
Four chairs W Claypole	,1	,4	,,
One Bedstead Dito	,1	,4	,,
And Irons Jns Harbin	,2	,2	,,
One Brass Kittle Daon Smith	,,	,7	,6
One Pot Jn Harbin	,1	,2	,,
One Iron Kittle Abr Snap	,4	10	,,
One Iron Kittle Wil^{m} Johnston	,,	18	,,
One Iron Kittle Ab^{r} Snap	,1	19	,,
Three Arces Sam^{e} McComb	,1	11	,,
One Broad Ax Robt Johnston	,1	,8	,6
Plow Irons & Screws Ia^{b} Miner	,2	,3	,6
One old Saw old Ax and two pieces steel Jona, Conger	,1	,,	,,
One black Horse W Foley	18	,,	,,
One Mare Johathan Purcell	42	18	,,
One red cow & calf W Marshal	,7	,7	,,
One Brindled Cow Dubaugh	,4	19	,,
One Black and white Dito	,3	,6	,,
One Dark Brown heiffer Jns Small	,3	13	,6
One Bull Dubaugh	,2	11	,,
One white heiffer Jns Small	,3	12	,,
One pair Draft Oxen W Vandenb_____	28	10	,,
Two Hogs James Black	,3	18	,,
Four Hogs Bass	,4	,8	,,
One Hog Bushi	,1	17	,6
One Hog winten house	,1	13	,,
Two hogs Bass	,2	,2	,,
One Crowcut Saw Jacob Feverbaugh	,3	,6	,,
Two whip Saws Abraham Snap	,1	13	,,
Coopers Adze and frow Isaaac Westfall	,,	,7	,6
Ten Iron Bands & old Iron D Smith	,1	,5	,6
One sprouting Hoe Luke Decker	,,	,5	,,
One old Saddle and Sadle Bags Abraham Pee	,2	,9	,,
One pair Iron braces one Drawing knife John Harbin	,1	,3	,,
Ten Sickles Petter Kirke	,,	,6	,,
One hand saw Abraham Westfall	,,	12	,,
Three files and two Rasps Luke Decker	,,	,9	,6
Brass nails Jns Small	,,	,3	,6

	L	L	D
One Box Sundrie tools Chisels Abraham Snap	3	10	6
Door hinges Dito		6	
Two Horse Collers Mich^{e} Thorn		6	
Tire for one pair wagon wheels Abraham Snap	6		
One grindstone Aphram Foerdon		6	
One foot Adze writen house		18	
One Logchain Wil^{m} Johnston	1	11	6
One pewter Dish and tin pan Dan^{e} Smith		8	
One plow and Irons Jacob Decker	1	11	6
Two Elk Skins & two Dear Skins Wil^{m} Johnston	18	9	
Bake Oven Abr Westfall		15	
One Chisel Jns Harbin		1	7
One frying pan Potter Barier		10	
One hay fork Jns Conger		1	10
One pair Iron traces Jacob Decker	1		
Two pair of hems & old brick bands Johathan Conger		12	
One table Frederick Meal	3	18	
The front piece of a Cupbeard Johathan Purcell	2	9	
One Cuting Box Michel Thorn		12	6
One large Clevis Chris Wyant		3	
One Dew Skin Sam^{e} McComb		4	6
One Drawing knife Jons Harbin		3	3
One Ink Stand Robt Johnston		8	6
Three Cart Boxces Jon Harbin		3	6
Two Hows E Tovering		12	6
Old Bands and Irons Jns Harbin and Feverbaugh		16	
Two wheels of a wagon Spreaders Aphraham Foerdon	6	6	
One Harrow St Mary	3	2	
Smiths Belliges & tools Jns Harbin	9	12	
Seventeen Acres & 25 perches of Rye Johathan Purell	28	10	5
Three Acres of Oats & 40 perches Jns Barbin	4	4	6
One acres of Flax A Westfall		18	
A Jointer plain Jacob Feberbaugh		2	3
A Double tree Sold Irons Mich^{e} Thorn		9	6
Sundry pieces old Iron dito		4	6
Lay Aphraham Foerdon			
Mich^{e} Thorn three chairs		7	6
two chairs Jns Harbin		5	
An old p^{d} Shoces A Westfall		4	6
One Barral Mich^{e} Thorn		3	1
39, lb of _____ Sam^{e} Moor	2		
31 lb. Frederick Meals	1	11	
31 lb. W Marney	1	11	
10lb. Abraham Barickman		10	
31½ lb. Jns Harbin	1	16	
A Negroe named _____ Aphram Foerdon	60	6	
Five Acres of wheat Robt Johnston	9	12	
One looking Glass Widow Harbin		3	
32 lb. of Bacon A Westfall	1	12	
32 lb. Mich^{e} Thorn	1	12	
32 lb. Jns Harbin	1	12	
A Mare and Colt A Westfall	20	2	
One old Iron Wedge Old Sithe and Auger Jns Harbin		7	
One pewter Spoon Dito		5	

	L	L	D
One Silver watch A Barkman	11	2	
One coat two pair of Beeches four Jackets three pair overalls Old Jns Harbin	3		
Three fine and two corse Shirts two cravats one pair corse cotton stockings one old flannel shirt John Harbin	2	5	
One pair Silver knee buckles Dito		7	6
Two and one half yd^S German Large and one Jacket patern one pair old Boots and one old Trunk Jns Harbin	1	13	
One Copper Teakittle		12	
Five and ½ Bushels of wheat Abraham Westfall	1	13	
Five and ½ Bushels wheat Micheal Thorn	1	13	
Five and ½ Bushels wheatJns Harbin	1	13	
To wheat on the farm Dito	1	15	2¼
To Dito Michal Thorn	1	15	2¼
To Dito Abraham Westfall	1	15	2¼
To Seven Hogs Dito	5	5	
To Seven Dito Michael Thorn	5	5	
To Sixteen Hogs Jns Harbin	12		
To two Stills and tubs Doct Tisdell	45		
One Small Hog Jns Harbin		15	
Robt Johnston) One Hilling How		6	
Westfall) Received for Feriges at White River	469		9
	12	15	
Rented the ferry from October the 29th) for six months for	3	9	
	48.	5	49

The above
Feriages Carried Out After
The Praisments—
and not to be added to the sales

Abraham Barrackman owned land next to the Harbin family. Harbin, Decker, Thorn, Purcell, Johnston, Westfall, Moale, Smith, Claypole, Marshall, Pee, Kirk. All these neighbors married into the Barackman families.

Abe died May 20th, 1850. His wife Elizabeth did not die until February 22nd., 1871. They are both buried in the church yard at Indiana First Presbyterian Church, built in 1806.

Following is the Will of Abraham Barkman

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN.

I, Abraham Barkman of the County of Knox in the State of Indiana, being in sound mind and memory, and knowing the uncertainty of life, do make and publish this as my last will and testament revoking all others, to-wit:

1. I give unto God my Soul and body who gave it to me.
2. I bequeath unto my beloved Sons, Andrew, William S. and Abraham

Barkman Jr. my home place containing two hundred acres more or less, Andrew to have one third part of said place, viz; Sixth six and 2/3 acres more or less, and the balance to be divided equally between William S. and Abraham so as to include William's clearing in his shars, viz; each to have sixty six and 2/3 acres of land more or less.

3. I, bequeath to my son, Isaac in addition to Eighty acres of land which I have deeded him in town on North Range Eleven West Section Nineteen as well as the personal property which I have given him five dollars in full of his share of my estate.

4. I bequeath unto my beloved wife, Elizabeth a third part of my home place, and a third part of all my personal property during her natural life time, and at her decease the personal property to be equally divided between my sons, William S., Andrew, and Abraham.

5. I bequeath unto my beloved daughters Peggy Alton, wife of John Alton, Susan Pea, wife of Jacob Pea, and Catherine Underwood, five dollars each in addition to what I have already given them.

6. The balance of all my personal property to be divided between my Sons, William S. and Abraham.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty third day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousnad eight hundred and forty two.

Abraham Barkman

The words more or less
interlined before Signature.

Signed, sealed, published and declared in the presence of the testator and in the presence of each other.

Minard S. Smith
Joshua Harbin

IN THE NAME OF GOD

I George Antis of Knox County in the Indiana Territory Being weak in boddy but of sound & perfect mind & memory thanks be given unto for the same calling to mind the motallely of my boddy and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to Die. Do make publish and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say, first I give & bequeath unto Margaret, my dearly baloved wife the sum of one hundred Dollars together with the third part of all my moveable affects with the enjoyment whil she remains widdow of one third part of the place whereon I now live and futher the enjoyment and possession of the House in which I now live and all the House hold furniture belonging or appertainning there to And I further give and Devise unto my son Frances Antis his Heirs and Asigns the two hundred Acres of land lying on White River and on which I now live to him the said Frances Antis his Heirs and Afsigns for ever And I further give and bequath unto my said son Frances one pair of plough Irons which one there part of all the Edge Carpenters or Coopers Tools now in my possession And also I give and Divese unto my two sons John and Jacob Antis their Heir and Afsigns the four hundred Acre of land which I own in the aditional Donation lying on the River Des Shea and known and

Designated by the number one hundred and seventy seven to them the said John and Jacob their Heir and Aissigns for ever and to be equally divided in quantety and qualtely between them the said John and Jacob Antis and I further give and bequeath unto my said son John Antis one pair of plough Irons which a third part of all the Edge Carpenter or Coopers tools now in my possession. And I yet further give and bequeth unto my said son, Jacob one pair of plough Irons together with the one third part of all the edge Carpenters or Coopers Tools now in my posepion.

And I further give and bequeth unto my son George Antis the sum of fifty Dollars to be paid to him the said George Antis in one year after my Deseeas And I yet further give and bequeth unto my Eldest Daughter Christena Johnson the sum of fifty Dollars to be paid her in one year after my Deseease. And I further give and bequeth unto my second daughter Mary the sum of fifty Dollar to be paid to her in one year after my Deseease and these three Bequeths of fifty Dollars each given and bequethed to the said George, Christena and Mary, I give and bequeth it to them as and for their full portion of my Estate and it is my will and desire that they sahll have each the above sume to them bequethed and no more and I do further give and bequeth unto my beloved Daughter Julian the yearling mare Coult, I now own together with one good Cow and Calf one Heep with Calf and a good Bed and Bed Clothes And I yet further give and bequeth unto my beloved Daughter Catherine the sum of Sixty Dollar together with one Cow and Calf, one Helfer with Calf and one good Bed with Bed Clothes and lastly as to the residue of my personal Estate goods & Chattels of what kind or nature so ever which are not given and bequethed It is my will and desire that it be equaly divided without vendus Sale or Suite at Law betwised my seven Children, Margaret Crook, Elizabeth Barackman, Frances Antis, John Antis, Jacob Antis, Julian Antis & Catherine Antis.

And it is further my will and desire that the said Frances Antis be by this my last will and testament bound to clear and put under good Fence for the said John Antis on the place given and decided to said John, five acres of ground which ground shall be cleared as is common in that neighbourhood and on such part of said place as said John chose to have it cleard. And further that the said Frances Antis by by this my will and Testament bound to clear for the said Jacob Antis five acres of ground on the place given and divesed to him the said Jacob and to pat the same the sare under good fence which ground shall be cleared as is commun in that neighbourhood and on such part of said place as he the Jacob or his Gardian shall choose to have it cleard. And it is further my will and desire that the said Frances Antis be bound to have the five to be cleard on John place ready for the plough in one year after my Decease and the five acres which he is to clear for the said Jacob, ready for the plough in two years after my decease Here by revoking des allowing and disahulling utterly all and every former wills Testament to Leagacus and Dequests or Executors by me in any wise named Rattefying and allowing this and no other to by my last Will and Testament in Wilneps where of I have here unto set my hand and seal this Elevanth Day of May one thousand Eight hundred and two.

Eight hundred and two

Signed Sealed published and declard by the above named George Antis to be his last will and Testament in presence of us

David Robb
J. W. Wendenball
George Ferguson
Adam Harness

his
George Antis Seal
X
mark

Indiana Territory Knox County Probate office on the eighth day of June

1802 this Will was duly proved before me Abraham Westfall Esquire Judge of Probate in and for the said County on the oaths of David Robb, George Ferguson and Adam Barnes three of the Subscribing witnesses there to.

In testimony where of I have here unto set my hand the day and year above written.

Abraham Westfall
J-Pro-K-C.

(Elizabeth Antis Barrackman is the wife of Peter Barrackmans son Abraham this Elizabeth and Abe are married in 1799.)

LAST WILL&
TESTAMENT OF GEORGE ANTIS Dec©

NOTE* At the end of the chapter on Abraham will follow a complete genealogy of the Antis.

To Abe and Elizabeth, seven children were born. Their children were all born in Knox County and lived on the "Old Barkman Farms".

1. Margaret Barkman - B. 3/6/1802. She married John Alton (Jr.) - B. 7/7/1799. The father of John Alton Jr., was born in Maryland on May 22, 1759. There is a dispute as to whether it was Pennsylvania, or Maryland. John Sr., married Catherine Adam's who was born in 1764. State is not known. John Alton Sr., was a private in "The Rangers of The Frontiers" in Captain Dean's Co.. He was also a private in the continental line serving from Westmoreland, County, Pennsylvania. He served under Captain William Parr as a pvt., 8th class in 1872, and also served under Captain John Wells 2nd Bn., in 1782. They had land grants, and were prominent settlers. John Alton Sr., died July 18, 1823. John Jr., and Margaret married on 10/28/1829, Knox County, Indiana. John Jr., died 5/17/1866. Margaret lived until 1881, and never moved more than 50 miles from there in all that time. They had the following issue:

   A. William Alton B-1830
   B. George Alton B-1836
   C. Mary Alton B-1835
   D. Juanita Alton B-1833
   E. Abraham Alton B-1841
   F. Louisa Alton B-1840

   They also adapted George W. McGiffin B. Oct. 1844 in Mississippi. George married Elizabeth Barkman, niece of Margaret Barkman, his adopted daughter. Elizabeth was a daughter of William S. and Deadema Barkman. George and Elizabeth had 3 boys:

   A. John W. McGiffin
   B. George W. McGiffin, who died 8/31/1893
   C. Charles W. McGiffin, who died in 1880

11. Catherine Barkman B- 1803. Married Fredrick Claycomb in Knox County, 7/29/1823. The father of Fredrick Claycomb, Jr. was born in Pennsylvania in 1758. He lived in Barkely County, Virginia where he enlisted in May of 1781. He served under Captain Jarretts Co., under Co., Darts' 5th Regiment. He had a pension. Lived in Johnson Township, Knox County, Indiana, where he died in 1846. His son Fredrick Claycomb Jr., was born 1787. Claycomb Sr., was married to Eliza_____ last name unknown. This family were also early settlers to Knox County, Indiana. Catherine and Fredrick Jr., had child:

e. William Claycomb B-1824. No further information of Fredrick Claycomb or William.

ii. Catherine Barkman marries Heywood Underwood, who served his term as Constable for Knox County Indiana. Heywood died 1857. We know he was born in 1791, but have no further knowledge. Catherine Barkman Underwood died in the 1880's. They had 6 children:

A. Susan Underwood B-1838
B. Martha Underwood B-1839
C. James Underwood B-1843
D. Alcander Underwood B-1844
E. Andrew Underwood B-1841
F. John Underwood B-1845
We note they had Andrew Claycomb, who was born in 1836, living with them, so undoubtedly Andrew was also a son born to Catherine.

iii. Susan Barkman B-6/4/1804, Knox County, Indiana. Married Jacob Pea Jr., B-1798. Serving under Major Francois Vigo, on July 19, 1790 was Jacob Pea. He was given 100 acres of land for his service as a militia man for Knox County, Indiana. Susan and Jacob Pea Jr., were married 5/31/1820. They lived in Johnson Township. One of the earliest water-mills on the Deshee was build by the Peas. It was used as a grist mill-saw mill, and at a later date as a steam mill. They also had land grants in 1785. The Pea's are an early and prominent family in Vincennes. Were close friends then and today with the Barekman family. Susan died 1/15/1807, Knox County, Indiana. Jacob Pea, died 8/31/1873. Both are buried at West Salem Cemetery. They had the following children:

A. Sally Ann B-1827 D-4/27/1845
B. Clark B-1828 D-4/16/1842
C. Catherine B-1834 D-9/3/1838
D. William B-1836 D-12/23/1863
E. Jacob N. B-1841 D-9/18/1842
F. Margaret B-1849 D-5/22/1853
(All at West Salem Cemetery-No record of other children.)

IV. Issac Barkman B-Knox County, Indiana 1806. He died at Berryville, Illinois. Date of death unknown. His first wife was Sabra Nell, who he married 10/4/1830. They had the following children:

A. Issac Newton Barekman, 1st. son of Issac Sr.. He was born 1830. Died-1879. His wife was Martha Gaddy, B-1830, Died 1882. Buried at Bell Cemetery, Sumner, Illinois. Married Martha in 1867. They had the following Issue:

a. Mary Ellen Barekman B-6/22/1871 Laurence County, Illinois. Married George Cunningham. George was B-12/10/1891, Laurence County, Illinois. They had the following children: Mary died 1948.

a. Ruth Barekman B-8/20/1892, Illinois. Ruth married C. A. Lathrop. Their children are:

1. Harold Lathrop B-8/11/1911, Colorado. Harold married Doris L. Huddleston, 6/11/1933 Boulder, Colorado. Harold and Doris have the following children:
   1. Elinor Ruth Lathrop B-8/26/1934, Colorado. Married Theodore C. Wood, 7/15/1956, Fair Oaks, California. Their children:
      1. Pamela Sue B-1/19/1958
      2. Cynthia Ann Wood B-2/25/1959
      3. Theodore Conger Wood B-11/29/1960, Seattle Washington.

   2. Marilyn Doris B-9/20/1936, Colorado. Married Dean Tillman, 8/25/1959, Denver, Colorado. They have one child, Marilyn and Dean are divorced.
      1. Christipher Dean Tillman 7/28/1956, Colorado.

   2. Marilyn marries 2nd husband George Mackey, 9/17/1959, Colorado. Have one child.
      1. Michael G. Mackey B-4/5/1960.

   3. Judy Irene B-9/20/1941, Colorado. Judy married Douglas R. Kenyon 12/4/1959 Denver, Colorado. Their children are:
      1. Linda Kay Kenyon B-7/29/1960 Denver Colorado.
      2. Kenneth Harold B-7/19/1961 Denver Colorado.

1. Harold Lathrop married 2nd wife Ulys Jean Walts, 10/2/1943, Redding, California.

2. Gilbert Lathrop is the second son of Ruth and Chas. A. Lathrop. Gilbert was B-9/21/1916, Colorado. Gilbert married Clara E. Goddard. They have the following children :
   1. Joan LaVerne B-10/10/1937, Fair Oaks, California. Joan married Chester H. Hatch Jr.. Married at Fair Oaks, California. One child.
      1. Chester Richard Hatch B-5/25/1960, Fair Oaks, Sacrament California.

   2. Edith Nodine B-6/6/1942, Fair Oaks, California. Edith married Ronald Edward Almquist. Ronald was B-3/20/1838, Weymouth Massachusetts. No children.

   3. Verna Lee B-12/22/1948, Fair Oaks, California.

3. Mildred Lathrop B-2/18/1924 Colorado. Married Frank V. Haynes, 11/23/1942, Sacramento, California. One child.
   1. Frank Vinvent Haynes III. B-4/2/1944.

3. Mildred married second husband Harold D. Stroape, 2/14/1947, Sacramento, California. They have the

following children:

1. Kenneth D. Stroape B-8/31/1949, Sacramento California.
2. Harold Dean Stroape the 11. B-11/19/1951, Sacramento, California
3. Alet Angel Stroape B-5/2/1958, Sacramento, California.

4. Howard Lathrop is the third son of Charles and Ruth. Howard was B-6/14/1921, Colorado. Married Delia M. Romero. 10/10/1942, Colorado. Following are their children:

1. Adrian Charles B- 12/20/1948, Sacramento, Calif.
2. Lorene June B-9/11/1953, Sacramento, California.
3. Barbara Lynn B-9/4/1954 Sacramento California.

b. Florence Barekman, daughter of Mary Ellen, and George Cunningham. Florence was B-3/15/1895, Illinois. Married Wm. P. Pfeiffer, 3/16/1916 Albion, Illinois.One child.

1. Dorothy E. Pfeiffer B-2/14/1916, Champaign Illinois. Dorothy married Richard Oustott 9/7/1934, Greenfield, Indiana.

b. Florence married second husband Harold Montrose, 3/9/1929, Indianapolis, Indiana. One child:

1. Robert D. Montrose, B-4/14/1930, Greenfield, Indiana, Robert married Mary L. Wilcoxon, 2/22/1958.

c. Guy Cunningham first son of George Cunningham and Mary Ellen Barekman was B-1/26/1900, Illinois. Married Elma Brines 5/18/1919, Vincennes, Illinois. Elma Brines died 10/21/1936. Two children:

1. Wayne Cunningham B-11/18/1920, Illinois. Wayne married Dorothy Broderick 7/26/1947, Danville, Illinois.
2. Kenneth Cunningham B-4/1/1927, Illinois. Married Patricia Martin 8/11/1948, Danville, Illinois.

c. Guy Cunningham second wife is Alice Price. Alice and Guy married 6/27/1937, Crisman, Illinois. No children.

d. Glenn Cunningham B-7/2/1903, Illinois. Married Marie Thill B-Wisconsin. Married 8/12/1932. Two children:

1. Robert J. Cunningham B-3/8/1934, Illinois. Married Barbara Taylor 12/8/1956, Danville, Illinois.
2. Shirley Cunningham B-9/19/1938, Illinois. Married Phillip Edwards, 8/27/1954, Illinois. Shirley and Phillip are now divorced.

d. Glenn Cunningham, married 2nd. wife Lillian Coons, 10/25/1923, Champaign, Illinois. No children.

e. Carl Cunningham, third son of Mary Ellen Barekman and George Cunningham was B-1/11/1912, Illinois. Married Ethel M. Veditski.

They have four children:

1. Carl E. Cunningham B-4/29/1935, Illinois
2. Mary J. Cunningham B-2/24/1937, Illinois
3. Ruth A. Cunningham B-11/17/1939, Illinois
4. Roger J. Cunningham B-7/23/1948, Illinois

f. Gola Cunningham fourth son of Mary Ellen, and George Cunningham was B-4/18/1907, Illinois. Gola married Reba Dennis 8/6/1936. Gola and Reba have two adopted children:

1. Barbara B-4/2/1945 Illinois
2. Rogene B-12/2/1948 Illinois.

b. Twins were born to Issac Newton Barekman and Martha Gaddy. The twins died in infancy year of 1873.

c. Charles Newton Barekman second child of Issac Newton Barekman and Martha Gaddy. Charles was B-1/11/1875 in Illinois. He taught school in Laurence County, Illinois. Later he went West. While there, war broke out in Spain and Charles enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps, at Mare Island, California. He was assigned to Co., B., 1st., Battalion. He served 5 years in the Marine Corps., in the Philippines on the Isle of Samar, the Isle of Luxon and the Federal Prison in Charleston, Massachusetts He was then transferred to the Navy Yard at Washington D. C. at his request and was honorably discharged from that area. Charles met and married Ella Fitch Broughton, who was B-2/19/1886, in Lucas, Iowa. They were married on 5/17/1906. They had two children.

a. John Willis Barekman B-4/14/1907, in Collinsville, Illinois. John married Ruth Taylor, B-9/27/1905. Were married at Klamath Falls, Oregon, 6/19/1928. Issue:

1. James Charles Barekman B-10/11/1932 at Klamath Falls, Oregon. James married Jeanette Scott, who was B-4/2/1934. They were married 8/14/1945, Fort Bragg, California. Have three children:

   1. Pamela Ruth Barekman B-12/19/1956, Ft. Lewis, Wabhington
   2. Cynthia May Barekman B/5/23/1956, Ft. Lewis, Washington
   3. Lori Ann Barekman B-12/25/1960.

2. Michael Taylor Barekman B-9/5/1944 at Oakland, California.

b. Inez T. Barekman daughter of Charles and Ella Fitch Broughton, B-10/16/1908, Collinsville, Illinois. Married Lewis Rice, who was a Forest Ranger. Lewis was born 3/31/1902. Inez and Lewis was married 6/23/1928. They were divorced November of 1937. Inez then married Lt. Frank W. Klatt, April , 1942. Divorced 10/29/1954.

Inez Rice, the enchanting "Sis" of VALLEY OVER THE HILL, cut her professional writing teeth in 1928, as a reporter for the Coconino (Arizona) Sun, and has devoted, in all, twenty-five years to the fields of business and public relations. Her work has been varied, ranging from co-ownership of such enterprises as a motel and resort, a dry cleaning plant, and an investment firm, to positions as executive secretary, office manager, and doctor's assistant: and she has been, since 1954, in charge of public information and publications for the city schools of Modesto,

California, where she makes her home. Educated at Arizona State College, at Flagstaff, and Arizona State University, at Tempe, Mrs Rice is a member of the California School Employees Association, and of the Eastern Star.

Though writing remains her first love, she finds time in her crowded schedule for golf, bridge, sewing, and photography, and has traveled extensively throughout the forty-nine states and Mexico. Her keen sense of descriptive writing, and her in sight into the strengths and frailties of human nature, are amply displayed in VALLEY OVER THE HILL, her first published novel.

Ines and Lewis Rice had 1 child.

1. Rita Anne Rice B-3/20/1929 at Flagstaff, Arizona. (Rita Anne changed her name by court order in 1943 to Rita Anne Klatt). Rita married Alan Wilson, Born 4/3/1923 at Oakland, California. Married 7/5/1948 at Reno, Nevada. They have the following children:
   1. Mark Wilson B-6/20/1949 San Francisco, California
   2. Paul Wilson B-9/5/1950 San Francisco, California
   3. Laura Wilson B-4/13/1956 San Francisco, California
   4. David Wilson B-7/3/1953 San Francisco, California
   5. John M. Wilson B-8/24/1957, Berkeley, California

d. Wm. Issac Barekman, second son of Issac Newton and Martha Gaddy, was B-6/14/1879. Wm. Issac also was a veteran of the Spanish-American War, having first joined the 4th Illinois Volunteers and served with his company in Cuba. After his term of enlistment expired he reinlisted in the Regular Army and served two years in the Philippine Islands during the Philippine Insurrection. Later in life Wm. Issac married 1st. wife Carrie McMiller on 2/23/1904. Married 2nd. wife Rosa Williams on 12/20/1909. She was born 3/17/1879 and died 12/13/1938. Wm. Issac died 6/20/1937, and is buried in the St. Cloud Military Cemetery near Kissimmee, Florida where he had resided for a number of years. No children were ever born to either of his wives.

B. Mary Jane Barkman was the second child of Issac and Sabra Barkman. Mary Jane married to George Greenwood. She died 1885. No Issue;

C. Saba Barkman was the third child of Issac and Sabra. She married Levi Cunningham, Saba D-1882. Had the following children George-Mary-Emma-Lillian-Leda and Ellen.

D. John Alton Barekman was the last child of Issac and Sabra Barekman. John Alton was B-4/4/1851, at Lukin Township, Illinois. John married first, Ollie C. Bell, married 12/18/1872. Ollie was B-in Illinois. She died in 1877. John and Ollie had no Issue. John then marries 2nd. wife on 10/27/1878 Margaret Mahala Wright, Margaret was B-1863 in Berryville, Illinois. She died in Sumner, Illinois.

Following is the obituary notice of John Alton Barekman.

John A. Barekman was born in Lukin, township, Lawrence County, Illinois, April 4th., 1851, and departed this life September 30th, 1918, at the age of 67 years, five months and 27 days.

He was first married to Miss Ollie C. Bell, who died some six years later.

He was married to Miss Margaret Mahalah Wright, October 27th., 1878. Had his life been spared to the fourth day of this month, they would have lived together just forty years.

He was converted and united with the Bethlehem Christian Church at Bethlehem when about 19 years of age, and it can be said without fulsome praise that he has lived a consistent Christian life ever since.

He transferred his membership to Sumner some 28 years ago. He was ordained deacon in the church and has been a member of the Southern Wabash conference for a number of years as an official. He was always faithful in his attendance and took a keen interest in the work of the conference.

In his local church he was a trusted counselor and advisor, a man of deep and decided convictions, and a brotherly helper in all that pertained to the interests of the Kingdom. He was a prayer meeting Christian and took great delight in the fellowship of his brothers and sisters in Christ.

At the last prayer meeting, just before going to the sanitarium, he made an unsually tender and touching address of some length, urging all to faithfuness and said that he knew that his time was short, but that he was ready to go when the Master called him.

He was a member of the Masonic fraternity, and was interested in promoting its interest.

In the death of Brother Barekman we lose an earnest Christian, a valued citizen, and a fraternal friend.

He leaves, to mourn his death, his devoted and bereft wife, one sister, Mrs. Charles Dreiman, and a number of nephews, and he will be especially missed by Charley, who has made his home with Brother and Sister Barekman, and who have been to him as a father and mother. Charley lives at Flagstaff, Arizona.

Funeral services were held at the Sumner Christian Church Thursday afternoon, Oct. 3rd., at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. I. N. Hoel, of Tuscola, assisted by Rev. C. B. Hershey of Merom, Ind, Rev. A. H. Bennett, of Olney. Rev. Lloyd Reich, of Merom, Ind. Rev. G. W. Shepherd, of this city, Interment was made in the city cemetery.

Relatives and friends from a distance who attended the funeral were; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dreiman and son, of Vincennes, Ind. John H. Fornoff and wife, of Pana; David P. Wirgnt and wife, of Maud; S. C. Lewis and wife and daughter, Ethel of Olney; Isaac Barekman and wife. of Mt. Carme; Ed. Storckman, of Mt. Carmel; Mrs. Lewis Kemp, of Mt. Carmel; Bert Brown and children and G. W. Prout and wife of St. Francisville; Willie Gilmore and wife, of Monroe City Ind; John Williams and wife. Of Fritchton, Ind; Miss Noma McGrayel of Vincennes Ind; Rev. and Mrs. Hershey and Rev. and Mrs. Reichof Merom, Ind; Rev and Mrs. Bennett, of Olney

Card of Thanks

We desire to thank all who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and brother. Also for the beautiful floral offeings. May God bless all of you, is our prayer.

Mrs. J. A. Barekman and Family
Mr. and Mrs. Cas Dreiman.

John Alton Barekman: cause of Death Peritonitis contributory-Appendicties--- H. S. Ferenbacher M. D.

JOHN A BAREKMAN
Record of the Last Will and proof of Death in Probate Nov. 1918.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF JOHN A. BAREKMAN

I give and bequeath to Charles N. Barekman my nephew the sum of $500. & bequeath to my beloved wife Margaret M. Barkman the rest residue & remainder of my personal estate, and all my real estate---1904.

Filed Oct. 8, 1918
Recorded April 16, 1919

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF M. M. BAREKMAN
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I bequeath all my estate to the following
Della-Welzel
Dr. Wm Wright
Rechel Foss
Charles N. Barekman
Neema Bell
Grace Ferroff
Albert Wright
George Wright
Lizzie Lewis.

Issac Barkman marries his second wife Mrs. Sophia Rourk on 11/28/1856, in Illinois. Sophia was born 1825. Sophia is the daughter of Warren Hazelton. Mrs. Sophia Rourk had a daughter Annie B-1854. She no doubt took the name of Barkman. Mrs. Rourk Barekman was born in New York. The four children born to Sophia and Issac Sr., were born in Lukin Township, Illinois. Information is needed for this group. Issac and Sophia had the following issue:

A. Jacob Barekman Born Laurenceville, Illinois, 3/13/1858. Jacob married Mary Ellen Williams, 2/17/1884. Mary Ellen was born 9/18/1863, Wabash Illinois. Jacob was of the Christian faith. Jacob died of Appendicties, 12/28/1905, Richland County, Illinois. Mary Ellen then marries Jacob Micheals. Mary Ellen died, 5/3/1940. Jacob Barekman and Mary Ellen have three boys, as follows:

a. John A. Barekman, first son to Jacob and Mary Ellen. John was born 10/11/1884, Berryville, Illinois. John married Blanche May Hampton, Born 3/3/1893, Sumner Illinois. Her father was A. J. Hampton, mother was Seva Howe. John and Blanche May were married 11/30/1914. They have three girls:

1. Rosella Barekman Harler B-5/23/1922, Berryville, Illinois. No. children.
2. Violet Barekman Moore B-2/3/1924, Berryville, Illinois. Violet was married twice. Following are her children:
   1. Virginia Ruth Tate Born in Princeton Indiana, 11/30/1939. Virginia has a son ,
      1. Steven Wayne Tate B-10/17/1960, Evansville, Ind.
   2. Georgetta Jean Partridge B-2/23/1940, Evansville, Ind. Georgetta has one son
      1. James Partridge Jr., B-10/17/1959, Long Beach Calif.
3. Ellen Barekman B-10/20/1926, Berryville, Illinois. Ellen marries Dewey Jones. They have the following children:

1. Ronald Eugene Gay B-5/19/1941, Sumner Illinois
2. John William Gay B-5/6/1944, Sumner Illinois
3. June Rose Jones born 11/24/1949, Sumner Illinois
These children are not married.

b. James Barekman B-12/6/1890 at Berryville, Illinois, is the second son to Jacob and Mary Ellen Barekman. James married Rosa Price Leston 7/8/1914. Rosa was born 1890, her father was Samuel Price, her mother was Martha Crouch . James died in a Coal Mine accident, on his birthday, 12/6/1918. Is buried Shelburn Cemetery. Rosa died 1932. James and Rosa had one son.

1. Robert Barekman born 12/24/1915, at Lawrenceville, Illinois. Robert married 8/11/1946, to Dorothy Elizabeth Frost, No children. They live in Tuscon, Arizona. Elizabeth has 2 children by an earlier marriage. Robert and Doris.
Following is a letter from Bob Barekman to June Barekman dated August 2, 1960.

Dear Miss Barekman,

I'm afraid there's very little help I can give you, because, through circumstance, I had very little family life and all family documents and pictures were lost. I may be able to recover something through an Uncle I lived with, on my mother's side. If so I'll send them to you. Anyway, here's what little I do know.

My father was James Barekman. He and his two brothers were born on the family farm of 30 acres near Berryville, Illinois. My mother was Rosa Price from Lawrence County, Illinois. This was my mother's second marriage-her first husband was Bert Liston and she had two children, a girl who died, and Lester, my half-brother, now living in San Francisco. My parents were married I presumd in Lawrence County-between 1910 and 1913-- I had a sister-name and birth date unknown-who died in child hook-I think about 1917 or 1918. I believe she is buried in the Old Cemetery at Shelburn, Indiana. I was born Dec. 24, 1915, at Lawrenceville Illinois. My father was killed one Sunday while working the old Shelburn, Indiana, coal mine. It was a single accident, and he was found droped over an electric wire, electrocuted This was about 1917- I believe, on his birthday. He is buried in the old Shelburn, Ind., Cemetery.

My mother worked as a cook in restaurants in Terre Haute Indiana, where I grew up and went to school. She died in December, 1932, and is buried in a cemetery east of Terre Haute, along U. S. 40. We lived in rooming houses, and because of conditions all records, history, and papers were lost.

I served 4 years from Oct. 1941 to November 1945 with the United States Army, about½ of the service, overseas. I just did my job, nothing distinguished in my service.

My wife's name is Dorothy Elizabeth. Her maiden name is Frost. She was in Sandborn, Indiana. We were

married August 11, 1946, in Terre Haute, Indiana. I have two step-children, Robert and Doris, both now married.

My two uncles and I still own the family farm of 30 acres, but neither of us is able to buy the others out, so I guess, eventually, we will all lose the old family place. My uncle, Chris, at Bloomington, Illinois, should know, and have documents, more details about the family as his part of the family has been more of a family unite.

If I can learn anything more that may be of help to you I'll send the information or documents on to you.

Trying to calculate backwards my mother and father must have been born about 1890. I hipe this little information will help to fill in a few gaps.

Sincerely,
Bob Barekman

c. Christipher Columbus Barekman was born 4/9/1892, in Berryville Illinois. He is the third son of Jacob and Mary Ellen. Christipher was 13 years old when his father died. His mother Mary Ellen William-Barekman then married Jacob Micheal. Chris. lived with them and help with the farming until his early 20's.

The Free Methodist Church was having a Camp Meeting. This is where he first met Blanche Agnes Worstell. Chris ask if he could take her home. They went together for some time.

On the day they were to marry, Chris met Blanche with the horse and buggy. They climbed into the buggy already to go, but one of the horses got a stubborn spell. Chris. and Blanche were ready, but the horse was not. Chris. tried everything to get the horse to go, but, with no luck. Chris and Blanche then climbed down and rode the horses bare back to get married. This was April 5, 1913. Christopher is a tall, nice looking man, with a wonderful personality. Blanche is small, and quiet, and a very pretty women, with beautiful black hair.

Blanche Agnes was born 4/22/1893. Her father was George T. Worstell born 1/31/1862, D-1/4/1944, at Lawrence County Illinois. Her mothers name was Laura Etta Phillips, B-4/19/1866, in Lawrence County Illinois. Laura D-1/10/1904.

Christopher and Blanche lived in Olney Illinois, for about two years, after they were married. In the year of 1918 they moved to the out skirts of Bloomington, Illinois. Then to Colfax Illinois Then back to Bloomington again. Chris continued to farm. Also is a carpenter and likes to work on cars.

Blanche was in ill health for some years. She died September 3, 1960. She is buried East Lawn Cemetery Bloomington, Illinois. Christopher is still living on the farm, on the out skirts of Bloomington, Illinois. They had five children: Three died at birth. Two still living. Following are their children.

1. Charles Jacob Harold Barekman Born 7/21/1914 in Olney, Illinois, Charles is the first son of Chris. and Blanche. Charles, father and mother moved from Olney Illinois when he was 2 years old. Charles attened county grade schools, and finish high school at Colfax, Illinois in 1935.

He met Marcia at her parents grocery store, and were married

12/19/1939, in the home of (Rev. Harold Walter, who for over 40 years has play "Chris" in the famous Bloomington Passion Play). Marcia, her full name is Lilly M. Daugherty was born 10/29/1919. Her father is Gentry, and mother is Agnes Daugherty.

Charles went to school on Refrigiation at Comercial Trades Inst. He work for The Illinois Power Company for 12 years with the line crew.

In the year of 1960, February 23, Marcia and Charles were divorce.

Charles then went to work for B and W Specialty Co. Automatic Merchanising.

He has for the past 12 years been very active in the various phases of Masonic Lodge, as follows:

Post Master of 1955-56. Received Grand Lecture Commition 1956 Charles was one of the first ones in this area to receive his commition while Master of his Lodge.

Member of Consistory 1958

Member of Shrine Mohammed Temple A. A. O. N. M S of Peoria Illinois in 1958.

Member of Bloomington Shirne Club 1959.

Order Eastern Star of Illinois Saybrook Chapter 972 - 1955.

Member of Arrowsmith Illinois lodge 737.

Af on am- admited to Arts and Craft Lodge No 1017 July 1, 1960.

Demitted to Bloomington Chapter No. 50, September 30, 1960, Electod to Masonic Guild 1956, Composes of Grand Electors.

Charles and Marcia have two sons.

1. Morris Ray Born 12/26/1941 in Bloomington, Illinois. Morris Ray enlisted in the Air Corp. in 1960- and holds the rank now of Air 3rd. Class. He is station at Grand Forks, Air Base- North Dakota.
2. Garren Dorrel Barekman born in Bloomington, Illinois. Garren is living with his mother in Solvang California

2. Harlan Christopher Barekman Born 7/19/1925, in Colfax Illinois. Harlan is the second son of Chris. and Blanche Barekman . He went thought grade school in county schools. At the age of 11 years his parents, moved about 8 miles out side of Bloomington Illinois. Harlan then finished his schooling in the Bloomington Public Schools.

Harlan married his first wife Vivian Cambron, 10/24/1942. Vivan was born 6/14/1923, in Pinkenyville Illinois.

During the time Vivian and Harlan were married, Harlan was drafted into service. He served in the U. S. Navy as a Motor Machines Mate. Harlan entered the Navy service at Great Lakes-served in the South Pacific aboard the U. S. S. Maquoketa. Harlan was Honable Discharged from the U. S. Navy November 13, 1945. While in service he learned the trade of Stationary Diesel Engines.

When Harlan came home to Bloomington he started working for the City of Bloomington, Illinois, as a meter reader. After working at this for six months, went in as a statonary Machines.

Harlan and Vivian had the following three children:

1. Sharon Vivian Born 2/8/1944
2. Alan E. Born 12/31/1944
3. Harlan C. Born 12/31/1944.

All born in Bloomington Illinois.
Harlan and Vivian divorced 9/5/1951

2. Harlan then marries Ruth Ann Lyle. She was born 2/25/1933, in Bloomington Illinois. Her father was Coy Austin Lyle who was born in Pierce Ky.. Coy B-7/14/1895 and was killed by a train, 12/17/1933. At that time Ruth was 10 mos. old. Her mother was Lora Iva Carter born in Pierce Ky., 4/12/1902. Lora died 11/22/1947. Lora and Coy were married 8/12/1917. Ruth was one of nine children, Esther, Herlon, Herbert, Bonnie, Haven, Mary, James, Doris and Ruth.

Harlan and Ruth were married 10/5/1951. Harlan continued to work for the City of Bloomington. He is a Jack of all trades. While working for the City of Bloomington, Harlan, has done just about every type of job, from meter reading to manager of City Water Company, and to the present, Chief Engineer of the City of Bloomington Power Company. There is not one thing, Harlan can not fix if it is fixable.

Ruth and Harlan, Rodney and Debra just came home from vacationing in Flordia. There was a letter from June B. Barekman (The Author of this Book). Upon reading the letter, we were suprised, because we thought we were the only Barekman in existance. Harlan, call June that night, and June invited us to come to Chicago and meet her. My family spent the day with June and her mother. I asked June, if I might help her with some of the typing. She agreed.

Upon reading this book, you, the reader will wonder, what type of person June Barekman is. I would like to take this opportunity to tell you, We, as a Barekman, should be very proud of June, for she, "A True Blue Barekman", has taken a lot from her own life to give much valueable information on our family line. June is a small pretty, Blonde woman, with a personality to go with her looks. June is a well educated person and has one year of law schooling to her advantage. We are so thankful, to have had the privileged working with June. She has spent so many many hours doing this. Not just for herself, but for all of us. My family feels that June is more like a sister to us. Rodney and Debra love her as they do their own aunt.

Ruth

B. Charolette Barkman is the second child of Issac Sr. and his 2nd. wife, Sophia Rourk. Born-1861. No further records on Charolette.

C. Andrew Barkman B-1865. Last son born to Issac Sr. and Sophia Rourk. No further knowledge of Andrew.

D. Eliza Barkman B-1868. Married Charles Driman 1 child. Nothing more known of her life.

IV. Abraham Jr. Barkman, son of Abraham and Elizabeth Barkman, B- 1813, Knox County, Indiana. D- 9/28.1854. Abe never married. Buried Indiana Presby. Church Yard.

Abe was active in Civic Affairs and church duties.

VI. William S. Barkman B-Knox County, Indiana on 5/14/1825. D-1/22/1873. William S. is buried in Indiana Church Yard. Married Diadema Wagner, 2/2/1826. D-5/13/1896. Buried Indiana Church. William S. and Diadema were married 8/20/1842. They have seven children:

A. Elisabeth Barkman first child of William S. and Diadema. Elisabeth was born 12/9/1849. Geo. McDiffee[illegible] see page addenda for full family particulars.

B. Margaret Barkman, second child of William and Diadema. She was born 1842. Married 5/26/1859 to Abraham Westfall. Margaret died 9/9/1908, Vincennes, Abraham D-2/5/1907, Vincennes. Following are their children:

a. Clara Westfall born Harrison Township Knox Co. Married [illegible] Real

b. Dora Westfall Born Harrison Township Knox Co. Married [illegible] Pennington.

c. Laura Westfall born Harrison Township Knox Co. Married [illegible] Byers.

d. Abraham Westfall born 1/20/1868. Married Mary Rhodarmel. Mary was born 10/10/1867 Knox County (Hart St. Road) Vincennes Indiana. Mary and Abraham belonged to the Presbyterian, Church on highway 61 East of Vincennes. Abe was sheriff in Vincennes Indiana 1905-1909. Mary father's name was James Rhodarmel. Her mother's maiden was Johnston. Abraham Westfall died 5/2/1957 and is buried in Memorial Park Cemetery Vincennes Indiana. Mary Rhodarmel Westfall died 5/15/1953 and is buried at Memorial Park Cemetery. They have the following children. (Nine)

1. Oscar Westfall Born 12/16/1895, Harrison Township Knox Co.. Oscar married Corine Galeski in the year of 1914. They have two children:

1. Oscar Westfall Jr. B-12/10/1945. Oscar died 1/26/[illegible]

2. Mary Jeanette Westfall B-5/ /1935.

2. Morris Westfall born April 17, 1897, Harrison Township Knox Co.. Morris and his first wife have one child.

1. Romona born 1925.

Second wife Lorene Show Westfall.

3. Agnes Westfall born 2/15/1899 Harrison Township Knox Co. Agnes married Vivian L. Clark April 28,1925. They have one daughter.

1. Margary Jean Clark born 12/25/1922.

4. Roby Westfall born 1/10/1901 Harrison Township. Married Roscoe Downs 5/4/1921. They have three children:

1. Lloyd Downs B-4/20/1922
2. Byron Downs B-7/5/1924
3. Margaret Downs (Jordan, Mrs James) born [illegible]

5. Infant daughter , stillborn , [illegible]

6. Alma Westfall Snyder born 8/20/1903, Johnson Township. Married Roy Snyder 8/27/1925. No children:

7. Mary Margaret Westfall Anderson, born 4/17/1905, Vincennes Indiana. She is the 7th. child of Abe Jr. and Mary Rhodarmel. Mary Margaret married Leland Froman Anderson 2/27/1925. Leland father was Elbert Anderson, mother was Laura Starner Anderson. They have two children:
   1. Sybil Joan Anderson born 4/14/1928, Carlisle Indiana. Sybil married Harlan Clay VanOver. Daughter was born to them 11/21/1948, Boulder Colorado
   2. Lola Jerine born 8/6/1929 Carlisle Indiana. Married Davis T. Dempsey II, 11/2/1952. Two sons
      1. Davis Terrel Dempsey III. Born 10/21/1954, Kennett Missouri.
      2. Leland Froman Dempsey 7/12/1956, Kennett Missouri.

Following is a letter from Margaret Westfall Anderson

Carlisle Indiana
Mar 17, 1962

Dear Miss Barekman:

I was so happy to receive your letter and so many interesting things of our family.

Several years ago Robert R. McCormick and publisher of "The Chicago Tribune" gave Historial talks on the radio, I sent for a booklet and am writing from it.

"The next year, "Lightherse Harry" Lee's capture of Paulus Hook took place and the storming of Stony Point immortalized the name of Anthony Wayne. This lost campaign is of great interest to me, inasmuch as a common ancestor of Westbrook Pegler and mine, Abraham Westfall lost a leg there. This Dutchman had left his lands to join the Continental Army and they had been squatted on by the Tory".

This Abraham Westfall came with George Roger Clark to Vincennes Feb. 25, 1779 G. R. Clark captured Ft. Vincennes

No, my parents never lived in Carlisle and my husband who loves history can not remember of any Barekmans living in or near Carlisle. My mother and Dad spent their entire lives near Vincennes. My father was County Sheriff 1905-1909. So the first four years of my life was spent at the Residence of Knox Co. Jail.

My husband is a Druggist and we own our own Drug Store in Carlisle.

Do hope I have sent you some material that will be of value to you.

Our oldest daughter lived in Rochester N. Y. and a street there was named "Westfall" I have not been able to trace this.

Do hope I have been of some help to you

Sincerely
Margaret Westfall Anderson

8. Cora Westfall Flintser born 5/2/1908 Vincennes Indiana. Cora is the 8th child of Abe Jr. and Mary Rhodarmel. Cora was first married to Robert Sanders in 1939 and he was killed in army camp in 1941. She then married William Flintser 1946. No children to this marriage.

9. James Westfall born 3/4/1912, Johnson Township Knox County. Married Dorothy Charlton. They have four children
   1. Roberta Lynch
   2. James Westfall Jr.
   3. Mike Westfall
   4. Susie Westfall

e. Maggie Westfall was the 5th. child of Margaret Barekman and Abraham Westfall. Married Henry Holt, Maggie born Harrison Township Knox Co. She later married Humes.

f. Lizzie Westfall, born Harrison Township Knox Co. She married Lonzo Woodward. Lizzie marries John McGiffin.

g. Eunice Westfall Born Harrison Township Knox Co. Married Edward Henry.

h. Perry Westfall born Harrison Township Knox C. Married a Wagner girl who died in child birth-baby also. Later married Emma Brown and two children (girls)were born to this union.

i. Archie Westfall born 8/ /1882, Harrison Township Knox Co.. Married first wife Flora Kaiser, three children, one son James Francis Westfall living today. Second wife Maude Weeks-two daughter.
Archie Westfall and second wife are living in Bicknell Indiana. The last of this family living today. Archie will be 80 this coming August.

C. Susan Barekman is the third child of William and Diadema. Susan was born 1846. Married Joe Dillenger 1028/1875. She died 3/15/1921.

D. Evelyn Barkman B-1850. Marries 9/23/1874, to Joel Ray.

E. Clark Barkman B-1851, Knox County, Indiana. Marries 1st. Mary Valton on 11/12/1873. Had the following children: Clark died April 1919.
   a. John Barekman B-12/4/1874. D. 4/19/1942. Buried Trinity Church, Knox County, Indiana. Married to 1st. wife, Essie Compton 4/6/1898. No record of children.

   a. John marries 2nd. wife, Mrs. Ida Parick Law. 12/1/1929, Laurencville County, Illinois. No record of children.

   b. Margaret Barekman B-1876

   c. Joseph Barekman B-1878

   d. Clinton Barekman B-1879 D-3/30/1898. Clinton was [illegible] a horse.

F. Alice H. Barekman B-1857 D. 1925. Alice Marries James Lafferty.

G. Abraham A. Barekman B-1857 D. 1925. Buried at Indiana Church. The history of William S. Barkman and Diadema will be researched further and found in Knox County Kinfolks.

VII. Andrew Barkman, the youngest child of Abe and Elizabeth Barrackman, was born in 1824. He continued to farm his share of the land that had been granted to the heirs of Peter Barrackman in 1785. William S. Barkman also farmed on the Barkman land, but Issac Barkman had moved to Illinois and Andrew farmed his third (1/3) of the land. In the year of 1847, Andrew married Louisa J. Fitch. She was born in Illinois in the year of 1830. The Fitch's came originally from New York. Louisa died in 1883. They had 9 children:

A. Abraham Jr. Barekman B- 1848 D. 9/8/1954, buried at Indiana Presby. Church.
B. John W. Barekman B-1852
C. Lewis Barekman?
D. Laura Barekman B? Marries Joel B. King 9/5/1877.
E. Angeline Barekman, Married John F. Gilmore 8/11/1871.
F. Andy J. Barekman B-1862 D. 12/4/1890. Married Mary ? B-1860 D. 1895
G. Lolly Barekman B-1864
H. Richard Barekman B-1868 D. 1891 Single Man
I. Ellis Barekman B-1859.

Note* Mr. Hank Jones III. is an accredited genealogist on the Barkman families of Maryland-Pennsylvania-New York. Mr. Jones of 560 Haas Ave. San Leandro, California, is my co-author on our book called the "Related Barrackman-Barkman-Bergman Families of America".

Any one wishing to add information is invited to contact Mr. Hank Jones.

Abraham Barrackman the son of Peter Barrackman born in Pennsylvania, 2/22/1771, later became known as Abram Barkman.

Under this spelling of Barkman he served in the 1790 Militia in Vincennes, Indiana.

Later records uncovered the war service of Abram Barkman as a Private in the war of 1812.

Private Barkman served in a detachment of Captain Squire Patterson's Mounted and Foot Company, 4th Regiment, Indiana. Lt. Charles Thorne Commanded this Regiment.

Private Abram Barkman did most of his service mounted. He received six dollars and 66 cents pay per month. He was allowed 40 cents per day for his horse.

We find record of service from Oct. 21st. to Nov. 19th. 1812, at Vincennes Indiana. Then again Feb. 15th to April 15th 1813. The above taken from the Archives for War 1812- at Washington D. C..

There are many other records of Abram Barkman's service. I list these few so that those of Abraham Barrackman Barkmans line who wish to join the 1812 Societies can do so, with out digging into unnecessary records.

Records may also be found at Indianapolis, Indiana.

Note: Section B- page 19 and 20, missing dates are as follows:

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Section B-20- Rodney Doane Barekman Born 10/6/1953, in Bloomington, Illinois
Section B-20- Debra Lora Barekman Born 10/15/1955, in Bloomington, Illinois

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under 1.
Lee W. born Oct. 27th, 1940. Is an adopted child of Harold G. and Helen Barickman.

under 2.
Leroy Kingman married Patricia Ann Hunter--born Dec. 26th, 1931 at Pescluma, California. Patricia Ann is the daughter of Raymond Thompson Hunter and Constance Margaret Farley.
Leroy and Patricia Ann were married on Dec. 12th, 1953. They have three children:
1. Kenneth--born on Oct. 19th, 1955.
2. Christine--born on May 30th, 1960.
3. Michael--born on April 10th, 1962. All three Barickman children were born in Santa Monica, California.

under 4.
Not Lorraine Janie, but Janie Lorraine. Not Walbrink, but Wolbrink.

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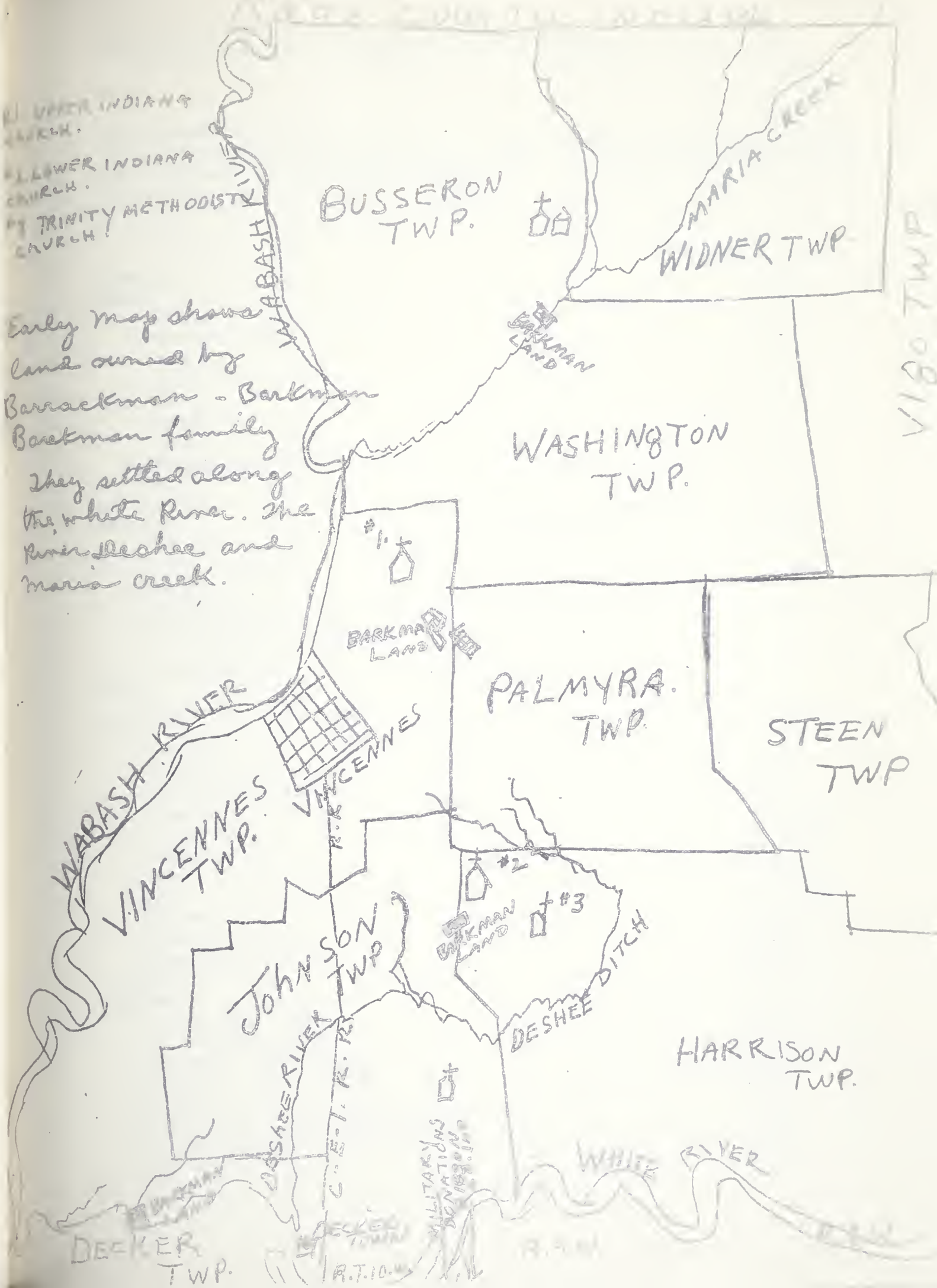
Mary Atlantic, not Atlanta. Born on June 3rd, 1914--not 1915.


#1 UPPER INDIANA CHURCH.
#2 LOWER INDIANA CHURCH.
#3 TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH
Early map shows land owned by Barrackman - Barkman Barkman family
They settled along the White River. The River Deshee and Maria creek.
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BUSSERON TWP.
MARIA CREEK
WIDNER TWP
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VINCENNES
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JOHNSON TWP
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HARRISON TWP.
DESHEE RIVER
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WHITE RIVER
BARKMAN LAND
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Name of family group is spelled in a variety of ways. Even the same person may be known under several spellings. Thus : Barrickman, Bareckman, Barickman, Barekman, Bareckman, Barkman, etc..
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Henry Barrackman, middle son of Peter was a very quiet man. There are no records to show that he had any war service as a Militia Man in Vincennes or service in the War of 1812.

Henry's main interest was his farm and over growing family of children and grandchildren. Julia, his wife was so engrossed in her home and family that even her last name remains a mystery. They were a very devout family group and the church played a very large part in their lives.

Henry was active in community affairs, but never as a leader, being content to let Abraham, his older brother, do the talking. Henry helped in deciding where new bridges and roads should be built. He helped in deciding the division of Decker Township and where the churches in his vicinity should be erected.

Henry's first born was John, who later became an associate Judge of the Knox County Circuit Court. John handled all the legal affairs for the Barkman tribe. His name is to be found in wills, deeds, probate records, etc. for this large family of early Indiana settlers.

Henry's land holdings were large. Land along the Wabash River, the White River, and the River Dushee area in Johnson Township.

Henry's son, Henry Jr. Barkman, lived in the Johnson Township area. He also had a large family. Henry Jr's. son, Isaac, was keenly interested in church affairs and donated land for the building of a chapel. This chapel was called the "Barekman Chapel". A new frame building was erected with the help of all the able-bodied Barkmans and the neighboring farmers. The seats and the pulpit were also made by Barkman members.

The Barekman Chapel was dedicated in the year of 1833. These faithful Methodist now set about gaining a paster of their own. In those days the preachers rode a circuit, at times one pastor would have as many as six chapels in his circuit.

To finance the church, suppers and plays were given. People rode from all over to attend these events; they came on horseback, in waggons, buggies, and carriages. The closer parishoners came on foot over the fertile Indiana farmland.

Quilts were made and embroidered withthe names of the church members incribed herewith. These were sold to add to the churches finances. Some of these quilts are in existence today.

In the year of 1904 the church mysteriously burned to the ground. It is believed that it was willfully set afire. There are many members among today's Barekman who remember this occurrence.

Once again - - the Methodists of that area were without a place of worship. In time a new church was erected and named Trinity Church. The full records of this new church will be told in "Knox County Kinfolk".

Henry Barkman was B. in Pennsylvania 6/23/1776 and was brought as a child to Knox County, Indiana. He married about 1802 but we find no record of his marriage. Henry married Julia, no record of her last name are we able to find either. Julia was B. in 1771; D. 3/5/1863. They had -10- children who lived to adulthood - - all Born in Knox County, Indiana.

1. John Barkman B. 2/2/1804. He marries Lydia Mapes 4/4/1820. No knowledge of Lydia's history other than she was B. 1800 and died 1870. John D. 2/27/1863. They had the following Issue:.

A. Julian Barkman - B. 1/7/1827. D. 1906.
Married William Kirk 12/3/1850. Children were
1. Ann Elizabeth Kirk- B. 1851
2. Sarah Kirk- B. 1853.
3. Racheal Jane Kirk- B. 1/8/1856. D. 6/16/1926.
The Kirk men who marry into the family of Barekmans are elusive. Can any one give me information as to the states these Kirks first lived in, before moving to Knox County, Indiana. There were many Kirks serving from Virginia-Kentucky-and Pennsylvania.
Who was the father of Lt. John Kirk War of 1812 ? Knox County, Indiana.
B. Martha Barkman - B. 1830 Married Edward Mc Cormick 10/22/1857.
C. Thomas Barkman - B. 1834. Married Nancy Richards who was B. 1835. Married in 1860.
D. Patrick Duncan Barkman B- 1835.
E. Orabelle Barkman B-. 1849.

11. Margaret Susan Barkman B-. 1/4/1805. Married John Setzler 10/9/1827. John D. 1830's. Issue.
A. John Setzler
B. Samuel Setzler.
C. Sarah Setzler. - Need further research *****On Setzler Family *****
John Setzler was born April, 9-1760 in Germany. He served in Kaskoskia from a Kentucky unit. He came with Clark to Post Vincennes in 1779. His son John Jr. Married Margant Susan Barkman, the second child of Henry Barrackman. John Sr. deeded his 250 acres of land in section 17 Decker Township, to John Jr.. He also left John Jr. his "weavers looms", and gears and reeds. John used his looms to weave for trade with his neighbors.

In the name of God Amen --

I John Setzer of the County of Knox and State of Indiana; being in sound mind and understanding; do publish this my last will and testament, as follows; -- I do give unto my lawful and wedded wife Mary, all the Stock House cattle sheep and hogs, all the potsettle, and all her kitchen furniture; all the Bed and bedding; all the money that she has in her possession; all of which is at her disposal; and my son John is to deliver her the thirds of the income of grain and keep her stock and riding horse & C; -- I do give unto my son Samuel two hundred and fifty acres of land No. 35 and one hundred and fifty acres to my daughter Rebecca of the same lot both of which are now deeded that to be their full portion -- I do give unto my daughter Sarah one hundred and fifty acres of land lot No. 17 one weavers loom and gears and reeds & John is to weave on said loom when he has anything to weave; -- I do give unto my son John 250 Acres of

land No. 17, two setts of plow-irons; one rifle gun, three pair of horse gears, two Brickbands; one Sprouting hoe drawing-knife and Augers -- the grain in the ground to John and my wife -- the waggon to be sold at publick sale - fifty-five dollars I leave to my son John the Balance and the third of the orchard to my wife Mary -- I do leave my wife Mary and my Son John for executors.

JOHN SETZER (SEAL)

Test
Joseph Williams
Thomas Williams

State of Indiana)
)
Knox County)

Personally appeared before me the undersigned deputy Clerk of the Knox Circuit Thomas Williams and Joseph Williams and made upon the holy evangelist of Almighty God that they did see the testator sign seal publish and declare the within Will to be his last will & testament and that they subscribed their names in presence of said testator at his request, and in presince of each other

The Testimony wherof I have hereto set my hand and seal the 13th day of December 1832

Daniel C. Johnson,
Clerk
By W. S. Withers,
D.C.

Mary Setzer is the daughter of Henry Barkman, Peter's middle son.

111. Peter Barkman B. 11/4/1807. Marries first, Mary Van Camp 2/28/1835. No knowledge of Mary's birth or death. Their children are;

A. Mercy Barkman B. 1837. Married 5/26/1859 to Joseph William Grimes.
B. Julian Barkman B. 1838.
C. Elizabeth Barkman B. 1840.

(Young Peter Barekman) Knox County
State of Indiana

On the 31st day of Janurary 1935 Peter Barekman came and approved personally before me a Justice of the Peace in and for said County and acknowledged the within Indenture of writing to be his norteatory act and dud in Witness whereof I have act my hand and seal the state alon

Martin Roberson
Justice of the Peace (SEAL)

111. Peter Barkman and his second wife, Patience Graves, born about 1825, were married 10/20/1843. There is no knowledge of her death, nor of Peter's, or their place of burial. One child

A. Isabelle Barkman B- 1858. Married to Lark Anthis 3/25/1877.
Isabelle and Lark Antis will appear with family under Anthis Section

Deed
Book G P 469-70
For $1.00 in hand I Peter Barrickman give to Abraham Barkman Jr., my brother my interest Estate claim on parcel of land lying and being in County

[illegible]

[illegible] January [illegible]
Peter Barrickman

Peter Barekman supposedly went to Texas and joined his brother Joshua [illegible]

IV. Abraham Barkman B. 3/11/1809. Marries first wife Charlotte Jordan 10/23/1832. Charlotta was B. 3/1813 and D. 10/23/1835. Charlotta Jordan who married Abraham Barkman, son of Henry Barrackman- was related to [illegible] Jordan and Thomas Jordan. Both who served with Gen. George Rogers Clark at Vincennes, and later served as militia men in 1790 at Vincennes. Mr. [illegible] C. Burgner, Jr. of 339 North West Street, Lima Ohio is an accredited genealogist on the Jordan family. Issue:

A. Henry F. Barkman- B. 10/12/1834. Henry marries Nancy Ann McCormick 4/14/1855. Minor child.

1. Minnesota Barackman B- 6/1/1864. Minnie marries Joseph Gale 6/28/1880, who was B. 1854.

Henry dies in 1864 and Nancy Ann Barkman marries Henry Dubois 8/5/1868.

State of Indiana
Knox County

John F. Hawkins being duly sworn upon his oath says that on the 28th day of June 1880 his ward Minnesota Barakman was married to a man who is 26 years old as he is informed, Said ward was 16 years old on the 21st day of June 1880-- He submits to the Department whether he is entitled to draw the penision from March 1880 to June 1880-- He has not been discharged as such guardian

John F. Hawkins

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 7th day of August 1880

Wm C. Black
Notary Public
in and for said county

Received of John F. Hawkins Guardian of Minesota Barackman minor heir of Henry T. Bararackman deceased ten dollars to purchase clothing for Minesota Barackman by her mother Nancy Dobois former wife of Henry T. Barackman
April 15 1872

Nancy A. Dubois

The marriage of your ward does not effect your right to draw her pension- so long as you remain her legal guardian

Pension Agt.

(Widow of Henry T. Barekman-killed in civil war-now remarried) Nancy McCormick Barekman Dubois

Pvt. Henry T. Barekman Co. K. 44 Reg. for 1 year Drafted Oct. 26, 1864 at Evansville, Indiana. Henry T.Barekman was 29. He had grey eyes . Black hair. Was 5-7. Florid complexion. A Farmer. Died of Diseases at Chattanooga Tennessee on June 28, 1865.

Served under Captain Hynes

IV. (continued) Abraham Barkman marries second wife, Ellen Warfe 11/12/1835. No record of Ellen's birth or death. They had one child.

A. Robert Barkman B. 8/8/1837. Marries Martha Crow 12/7/1872. Martha has no remaining records. Three children:

1. Ira Barkman B-1874
2. Ida J. Barkman B-1876
3. Abraham Barkman B-1878 and D. 1924.

Do you have any knowledge of this family group ???. They lived in Decker Township.

IV. (continued) Abraham Barkman marries 3rd wife, Elisa Harness, B. 10/13/1819. Record reveals that they were married 8/20/1839 by John Barkman, Associate Judge of Knox County Circuit Court. Abraham died 10/20/1841 issue:

A. Ellen Barkman B-6/8-1840 died 2/27/1837. Ellen marries 12/7/1865 Hiram L. Langley B-3/11/1841. They had the following children:

1. Thomas Lenard Langley B. 9/2/1866
2. Sarah Eliza Langley B. 3/15/1868 D. 7/17/1868
3. Henry C. Langley B. 9/27/1869
4. Elisabeth Ellen " B. 3/8/1871 D. 5/1/1812
5. John William Langley B. 9/23/1872

Account of sales of the personal property of Abraham Barekman late of the County of Knox and State of Indiana decease at a public auction held at the late dweling house of the said decease on the fourth day of December A D 1841.

Sod	to	Peter Barekman a pair check lines	$ 2.25
Do	Do	H. Wyant a trumal bedsted	".50
"	"	Peter Barekman a pair of britchus	5.37½
"	"	Eliza Barekman a mans saddle	4.00
"	"	John B. Dunning a pair horse gears	3.00
"	"	John Barekman a plow	4.00
"	"	John B. Dunning a bull	1.06¼
"	"	H. Wyant a pair sherpesheare	".50
"	"	B. V. Beckes a large rope	.62½
"	"	Isaac Mahl a pair doubletrees	1.62½
"	"	Wm Blair a spaid (Cash)	1.12½
"	"	L. D. Johnston a lot of old iron (cash)	1.00
"	"	I. B. Dunning a set of waggon	1.18 3/4
"	"	John Mahl a rifle gun	8.00
"	"	Wm Scott a inch auger (cash)	.12½
"	"	Wm Harvey Bay colt	16.00
"	"	Hamilton Barekman a black colt	10.00
"	"	Henry Barekman a bay colt	5.00
"	"	Stuart Thorn a black mare	8.87½
"	"	H. Underwood a brown mare	21.56¼
"	"	J. B. Dunning a red cow	5. 6¼
"	"	Lorie a black heifer	4.00
"	"	John Magowin a red heifer calf	1.62½
"	"	Same a red and white calf	2. 6½
"	"	H. Wyant a red steer calf	2.00
"	"	Michel Thorn these hogs first choise	7.50
"	"	John Barekman 3 " 2 "	3.56¼
"	"	J. B. Dunning 9 " 3 "	7.00
"	"	Lawrence Kelly 2 sheep 1 "	4.25

Sod to Lark Anthis 11 sheep 2 choise		18.00
" " Peter Barekman a waggon		40.00
" " David Crock a hundred bushels corn		19.
" " Same " " "		18.50
" " John B. Dunning a pair breast chains		1.66½
" " same a peice of log chain		31¼
		$223.75

State of Indiana
Knox County

Personally appeared before me the undersigned clerk of the Knox probate Court Henry Wyant and made oath that the above and foregoing is a just and proper sale bill of the personal property of the estate of Abraham Barekman In late of said county and as kept by him as clerk of the sale of the personal property of said dec.

H Wyant clk

Sworn and subscribed to
before me this 22 day of January A D 1841
W. R. Mc Cord clk

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

By order of the Probate Court of Knox County, Ia., granted at the May term thereof, I will sell at Dicksburg in said county, on the 17th day of December next to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Abraham Barrekman, deceased, late of Knox County, in and to the following real estate, to-wit: Lot No. 3, fractional section 35, township 1, north range 11 west, containing thirty acres and forty-hundredths-

---ALSO---

Forty acres off of the west end of location No. 23, township 1, north range 11 west, on a credit of one and two years, the purchaser giving bond with approved security and mortgage on the premises. Sale to commence at ten o'clock, A. M.

JOHN BARREKMAN, Adm'r of Abraham Barrekman, dec'd
Nov. 23, 1842.

STATE OF INDIANA
Knox County, ss.
Knox Probate Court, Feb'y Term, 1844
John Barkman, Adm of Abraham Barkman deceased,
Deceased Petition of
Against Insolvency
The Creitors of said deed
Now at this time came the said John Barkman, Administrator of Abraham Barkman, deceased, and filed his memorial, shewing the condition of said estate, and complaining that the property, both real and personal, is insufficient for the payment of the debts and demands outstanding against said deceased: It is therefore ordered, That the filing and pendency of said complaint be made know to the creditors of said Abraham Barkman, deceased, by publication of this order, for six weeks successively, in the Western Sun and General Advertiser, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Vincennes, and that unless they notify the said Administrator of the existence and extent of their respective claims, by filing the same, or a statement of nature, date, and description or

assumpsit, upon which the same may be founded, in the office of the Clerk of this court, previous to the final distribution of the assets of said decedents estate, such claims will be postponed in favor of the more diligent creditors: and this cause is continued until the next term

Attest,
Wm R. Mc Cord, Clk

March 24- 1844 13-6t

V. Joshua Barkman -B- 11/12/1813. Joshua takes out land in Decker Township, Knox County, Indiana year of 1836. He marries Jane Dixon or Dickson, According to the Western Sun Newpaper Vincennes Indiana, on March 18, 1837. It is possible her father was Francis Dickson who came from Parke County, Indiana to Knox County, Indiana, about 1828. Joshua name appears on legal papers in 1840. We do not know if they had children. They moved to Navarro County, Texas, withthe Dixon family.

State of Indiana Knox County
Be it remembered, that on this day the 22nd day of May in the year of the Lord 1835 before me, the subscriber and Justice of the Peace in and for said County, personally approved the within named Joshua Barekman and Jane his wife and acknowledged the within Indenture to be their redentery act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned and the said Jane being first separately and apart examined forever her said husband acknowledged apers having the full contents of the within Indenture made known to her, that she did act, and as her act and deed delivee the same without any concions or compulsion from her said husband, and desired the same might be recorded as such In Testimony Whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal, the day and date above within

Martin Roberson
Justice of the Peace (SEAL)

VI. David Barkman B. 2/4/1815. Married to Lucenda Parrenter 12/10/1836. They go to Colorado and are never heard from again. They probably continue to use the name Barkman- where his brothers change to Barekman.

VII. Henry Barkman, Junior-B. 12/21/1816. Marries Eliza Harness Barkman, widow of Henry's brother, Abraham, Eliza B. 10/13/1819 and marries Henry 1/19/1843. Eliza D. 2/20/1872. They have the following children:

A. Hannah Elizabeth Barkman-B. 9/11/1843; married John J. Smith 9/29/1864. Hannah D. 4/30/1873.
B. Anne Eliza Barkman -B. 3/16/1844. Marries 3/16/1863 to Fielding Catt.
C. Sidney Francis Barkman - D. 8/11/1844.
D. John W. Barkman -B- 4/12/1846 and D. 2/27/1863.
E. William H. Barkman - B- 3/30/1849. Marries Lizzie Cardinal 10/21/1873. Have two children.
   1. Claypoole Barkman ******* Information wanted on Claypool
   2. William E. Barkman B- 1878.
F. Samuel Hamilton Barkman B- 5/2/1857 and D. 7/7/1922. Marries Sarah Catt who was B. 10/7/1857. She died 8/11/1923. Married on 10/6/1878 They had two daughters
   1. Minnie Barekman B-7/11/1879. D- 11/16/1958. Samuel Taylor was her husband.
   2. Myrtle Barekman- Married J. O'Donnel on 7/21/1888.

G. Julia Ann Barkman B. 7/16/1852. D. 3/5/1863.
H. Isaac Harness Barkman B. 9/13/1853. Marries first wife Belle Purcell 8/15/1869. Have one child
  1. Rosa May Barkman B. 12/22/1870.

Isaac Harness Barkman marries in Illinois his second wife, Lucy Langley who was B. 4/3/1851. They had the following issue:
  1. Zora Independance Barekman B. 1/20/1874 and D. 9/22/1874.
  2. Ellen Eliza Barekman B- 9/14/1879 and D. 10/10/1897.
  3. Helen Riley Barekman B- 9/14/1879. Married Otis Klinger 9/20/1907 in Lawrencesville, Illinois D. 6/7/1941.
     (Helen and Ellen were twin sisters)
  4. Henry Moses Barekman B. 7.18/1882. D. 4/6/1885.
  5. Lester Gould Barekman B. 11/23/1887. Marries 10/21/1920 in Richland County, Illinois to Florence Miller who was B. 3/20/1897. They were married in Olney, Illinois. They had the following three children, all born in Illinois
     A. William Miler Barekman B. 12/21/1922. Marries Dolores Eakew on 6/8/1947. Dolores was B. 2/22/1922. They have three (3) girls born in Vincennes, Indiana
        1. Ann Elizabeth Barekman B. 7/16/1949.
        2. Mary Katheryn Barekman B. 3/13.1953.
        3. Carol Lynn Barekman B. 12/2/1958.
     B. Lois Alleen Barekman B. 6/1/1926. Marries Reverend Samuel Miles Taylor 4/10/1950. Samuel B. 11/24/1930. They have one child:
        1. Rebecca Ruth Barekman B. 1/25/1955.

The Reverend, Mrs Taylor and Child are now in British Guiana.

The Reverend Mrs. Samuel Taylor of Vincennes, missionaries under appointment to British Guiana, South America, will speak Sunday evening at 7:30 at the First Church of the Nazarene, 12th and Broadway. With them will be their five year old daughter, Rebekah Ruth. Rev. Taylor was reared in the Vincennes area and in his youth attended Lincoln High School, prior to going to Olivet Nazarene College, Kankakee, Ill. His father, Samuel Taylor Sr., was manager of the A. & P. Store until his recent retirement. Mrs. Taylor was formerly Miss Alene Barekman of Lawrenceville and Vincennes. She also is a graduate of Olivet Na-arene College.

This missionary family plans to leave for South America in September. They resigned their recent pastorate at Winslow, Ind., and at present are living with the parents of Mrs., Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Barekman of Vincennes, until the time of their departure. The Sunday night services will be Samuel Taylor Night.

Sunday moring at 9:30 Bert L. Wininger Will begin the Sunday School devotional service. The classes are striving for 101% attendance this Sunday, or every member present, plus one. Joseph Trubac is in chare of the Sunday School bus transportation.

The pastor, Rev. L. W. Conway, will speak at the 10:30 moring worship service.

The Youth group will meet at 6:30 p. m.. Evelyn Holzmiller will preside. William Kisner, and his group, will present "Programs with a Purpose".

Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. prayer will be held at the altar, followed by the praise service. The choir will practice at 8:30.

C. Helen Marie Barekman B. 7/6/1928. Marries Charles Richard Alexander 9/3/1950. Charles B. 7/9/1920. Two children.
  I. David Richard Alexander B. 3/21/1951.
  2. Ethyl Marie Alexander B. 3/21/1957.

6. Denver Ray Barekman B. 4/20/1889. Marries Martha Gardner 7/1/1914 at Salina, Kansas. Ray D. 7/15/1942. They had two girls. Denver Ray was a Methodist Minister.
  A. Dorothy Marie Barekman B. 9/10/1920.
  B. Helen Joan Barekman B. 5/1928.

VIII. Brown Barkman B. 1/13/1821. Brown marries five times. His first wife was Frances H. Flowers. They were married 2/14/1844. Frances D. 4/2/1853. Buried at Trinity Church Yard. Issue:
  A. Ann Barekman who marries Tildon Catt- Civil War Veteran. Have one child.
    I. Minerva Catt. Minerva marries Reverand Smith. 5 children Rev. Smith a Christian Minister.

  Ann marries second husband, Ben Fowler and had 3 childrens
    1- Tom Fowler-- 2. Cottie Fowler who marries a Sanders and has two boys.. 3. Earl Fowler.

VIII. Second wife Brown marries Martha J. Clubb of Laurenceville, Illinois. Date 1/23/1854. Martha buried in Illinois. Issue: one child.
  A. Jane B. Barekman B. 1854. Never marries and dies in Monroe City Indiana. Buried Next to her mother, in Sumner Illinois.

VINCENNES SUN-COMMERCIAL
Friday, June 12, 1936

Miss Jand Barekman, 81
Taken By Death

Monroe City, Indiana, June 13.... Miss Jane Barekman, 81 died at the home of her half brother, Marshall Barekman, Friday evening at 3:00.

Surviving are two half brothers, Charles of Washington, D. C. and Marshall of Indiana. One sister (half), Mrs. Allen Reel of this place.

Funeral Services will be conducted from the Indiana Presbyertain Church at Monday afternoon at 1:30 with the Rev. Isaac Beckes in Charge. Burial will be at Sumner, Illinois, in the Christian Church-Church Yard.

VIII. Third Wife Brown then marries Mrs. Sarah Ann Sachels, nee Dicom on 2/16/1856. No Children.

VIII. Fourth Wife Brown marries sister to Sarah Ann Sachels, Miss Dixon (Fanny). Brown divorced Fanny. They war married about 1860.

VIII. Fifth Wife Brown marries his fifth and last wife, Mrs. Enoch E. Taylor nee Sary David in about 1862. Sary Davis B. 9/2/1832, in Knox County Indiana; she died 11/1/1906. Brown dies 4/15/1893. Brown and wife are buried in Indiana, Presbyterian Church Yard. They had the following children:

***** Note-Unless specified, all the following are born in Knox County Indiana.

A. Charles K. Barekman B. 9/3/1863, Knox County, Indiana. Married Mary Valentine Meyers 3/14/1891. Mary was born in 1867 and died in 1924. Charles taught school and died in 7/18/1903. They are both buried at Indiana Church. They had the following children.

1. Bessie Barekman B. 3/1/1896. Marries Oscar C. Meyer 11/3/1920. Oscar born 5/11/1893. They had two boys:

A. Francis Meyer B. 8/16/1921. He married Lela Campbell who was B. 12/30/1923. Have three children:

1. John F. Meyer B. 2/20.1945.
2. Barbara Meyer B. 7/29/1948.
3. Nancy Meyer B. 4/24/1953.

Francis Meyer served in the U. S. Air Force from 1942 to 1945.

B. J. C. Meyer B. 6/24/1926. He marries Betty Byers who was B. 3/14/1931. They have four children.

1. John M. Meyer B. 3/8/1949.
2. Bradley Meyer B. 2/19/1950.
3. Jeffery Meyer B. 4/18.1955.
4. Carla Meyer B. 9/25/1960.

II. Ocey Barekman B. 9/9/1894.

III. Charles Barekman Died at early age.

IV. Ralph Barekman marries La Verne Holt on 8/31/1921. Ralph is buried Indiana Presbyterian Church Yard. They have the following children:

A. Mary Helen Barekman B. 1922 and died in 1938.

B. Gerald Barekman B. 1926, and marries Lois Small in 1947. Have five children:

1. Gary Barekman B. 4/24/1948.
2. Terry Barekman B. 10/26/1952.
3. Gail Barekman B. 7/14/1950.
4. Mary Jane Barekman B.10/15/1959.
5. Alice Marie Barekman B. 1960.

Gerald served in World War 11, in France and Germany.

C. Virginia Jean Barekman B. 1932. Marries Roger Clark. They have two children:

1. Carol Ann Clark B. 7/6/1958.
2. Stephen Clark B. 5/15/1959.

V. Also a child-unnamed who died at birth.

State of Indiana,
Knox County
In the matter of the Guardianship of the
Heirs of Charles K. Barekman, deceased,
Mary V. Barekman, Guardian.

Knox Circuit Court,
November Term, 1906

The undersigned guardian of the said minor heirs of Charles K. Barekman, deceased, for petition herein, respectfully shows to the court that her said wards are the owners in fee-simple of the following described real estate to-wit: The undivided one-seventh of part of Donation 161 bounded as follows, beginning at a stone in the Petersburg and Monroe City highway, South 38½ degrees East 39 20/100 chains from the corner of Donations 6&7 and 160 & 161; Thence North 38 3/4/ degrees West 11. 39 chains to a stone; Thence South 37½ degrees West 5.70 chains to a stone in said highway; Thence South 67 degrees East 11.70 to the place of beginning contained 3.25 acres. That the same is of the probable value of $60.00.

And said guardian further avers that in the interest of his said wards, said real estate should be sold for the reason that said real estate is non-productive, and that a better investment of the value of said real estate canbe readily made, by putting the proceeds of said sale at interest.

That said wards have no personal estate that has come to the knowledge or possession of this guardian, and that no rents have been received by this guardian,

That said wards are of the following ages- Ocey E. Barekman, aged 12 yrs., Bessie A. Barekman, aged 10 yrs., Ralph C. Barekman, aged 7 yrs., and reside with their mother this guardian, in Knox County, Indiana.

Wherefore, said guardian prays, upon the facts and for the reasons above set forth, that she may be order of this court be authorized to make sale of the real estate of her said wards in this petition descrebed, upon such terms and conditions as the court may deem most advisable.

Mary V Barekman
Guardian

State of Indiana
Knox County

Mary V. Barekman, being duly sworn upon her oath says that the matters and things stated and alleged in the foregoing petiton are true as she verily believes.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of December, 1906
Com. ex. Nov. 27, 1909.

James M. House, Notary Public

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Brown children, continued

B. Hattie Elmore Barkman B. 12/10/1865 D. 1955. Marries Daniel Webster Summit on 3/3/1889. They had 5 children:

1. Agnes Summit B. 1/31/1892. Married Benjamin Alex Huffer who was born 8/20/1893. Married on 11/11/1916.
2. Ora Summit B. 1890 D. 1918.
3. Raymond Summit B. 1896 D. 1960. Married to Sora Hoolt. They had one son Harold, who married and had 4 sons.

4. Gladys Summit B. 1900. D. 1920.
5. Mildred Elmore Summit. Married Henry Ferguson in 194;

C. Mantle Barekman B. 3/28/1868. Married Lillie Lane 11/20/1893. Mantle taught school Lillie Lane B. 3/28/1872 and died 2/12/1956. Mantle died 12/19/1925. They had the following children:
1. Earl N. Barekman B. 1895. D. 12/10/1908.

II. Ernest Hobert Barekman B. 12/12/1897. He marries Mary Kroeger on 5/2/1903. They had the following issue:
A. Ernest Paul Barekman B. 2/27/1927. In 1950 he marries Charlotte Krons in Monroe, Michigan.

B. Alva Eugene Barekman B. 2/18/1931. Marries 8/6/1954 to Maryline Sue Summers who was born 2/13/1933. Have three children:
1. Cynthia Sue Barekman B. 3/13/1955.
2. Kenneth Eugene Barekman B. 1/24/1958.
3. Paul Edward Barekman B. 8/3/1960.

C. Patricia Ann Barekman B. 7/3/1939. Twin children bornto Patricia- Tina Marie Barekman- Timothy Joe Barekman 8/23/1961.

D. Olta Cecila Barekman B. 5/29/1929. Marries 5/29/1950 to George Thomas Hagan who was B. 3/29/1925. They have three children:
1. Janet Lynn Hagan B. 5/23/1955.
2. Diana Elaine Hagan B. 6/10/1957. All born in Richmond, California.
3. Micheal George Hagan B. 12/22/1960.

III. Edith Barekman (Twin to Ernest) born 12/2/1897. Died 1953. Marries a Biddle. Had the following children:
A. Eugene Biddle B. 4/6/1924. Marries Barbara Black and lives at Bunker Hill Air Base, Peru, Indiana
B. Earl Biddle B. 7/11/1922 and died 12/1/1958.
C. James Biddle B. 10/27/1927. Marries Lois Renner. Lives at Wheatland.
D. Jane Biddle Snyder B. 10/27/1927. Marries Lee Snyder and lives at Englewood, California.
Jane and James are twins....

IV. Alta Troy Barekman B. 1/22/1910. Marries Alva J. Roberson 8/18/1928. Alva born 10/9/1907. They have one child.
A. Alan Dale Roberson Born 3/27/1937. Marries Donna Miller, on 8/8/1958.
1. Son born 9/24/1959 at Fort Hood, Texas.

D. Fannie H. Barekman B. 8/1/1870. Marries Allen B. Reel 3/14/1867. Fannie D. 5/7/1957. Allen Died 12/29/1951.
1. Lena Reel B. 10/26/1892. Married Homer Gouckenour 6/22/1929.
2. Herman B. Reel B. 7/24/1898. Marries Loucylle Blair in 4/27/1920. Herman died 10/24/1927 in Vincennes.

E. Marshall Barekman B. 6/26/1872. Married 4/27/1896 to Kathryn Reel, who was B. 9/28/1875. Marshall died 7/5/1937. Buried at Mount Zion near Monroe City, Indiana.

F. John Barekman No records. Died early.

G. Sherman Barekman (named after General Sherman) Born 4/4/1876. Married Myrtle Altamay who was B. 8/21/1882/ Married 12/25/1907. Myrtle dies 12/6/1958/ (Note that their children are born in various states). Sherman D. 12/30/1961. Buried Marion Illinois.

I. Charles Kirk, Barekman B. 8/1/1905 Knox County, Indiana and married Helen Sisney who was B. 12/24/1907. Charlie died, 10/1/1960, in Marion, Illinois. He is buried at Maplewood Cemetery. They had one child:

A. George Washington Barekman (named after both his grandfathers) born, 2/18/1927 in Marion, Illinois. Married 9/21/1943 to Betty Jean Booth who was B. 9/20/1926. They had following children:

1. Karen Jean Barekman B. 11/3/1944 at Herrin, Ill.
2. George Barekman Jr. B. 6/9/1950 at Carbondale, Ill.

II. Leondas Moreass Barekman B. 4/22/1907 at Knox County, Ind. died Chandler, Indiana 1909.

III. Daisy May Barekman B. 2/17/1911 Chandler, Indiana. Married 11/30/1933 to Edward Grant Rees (descendant of President Grant), was B. 3/30/1905 in Washington D. C.. Lived in Fairfax Virginia.

IV. Naomi Vay Barekman B. 3/29/1913 at Evansville, Indiana and married 8/23/1934 to Roger Davis who was B. 11/12/1908, Murphysboro, Illinois. They have one child.

A. Rogera Davis born in Murphysboro, Illinois 7/5/1938.

V. Martin LeRoy Barekman B. 10/8/1917 in Chandler, Indiana and married 9/28/1941 in Annapolis Maryland to Eleanor Valette Frinzell B. 7/22/1915 Cherrydale, Virginia. One child.

A. Valette Eleanor Barekman B. 11/23/1946, New York, N. Y.

VI. Sarah Ruth Barekman B. Marion, Illinois 7/11/1920 and marries in Washington D. C. to Lester Lucas on 3/12/1936. Lester B. 8/10/1915. Killed March 4, 1945. Battle of the Bulge Pattons 9th Army... Had one child.

A. Ruth Ann Lucas B. 11/24/1937 at Washington D. C.. married Thomas Cooke who was B. 1/26/1935 at Washington, D. C.. Married 6/30/1956. Have three boys:

1. Thomas Russell B. 4/28/1957.
2. Ronald Thomas Cooke B. 7/12/1959
3. Donny Thomas Cooke B. 6/13/1960

All were born in Washington D. C. and live at Falls Church Virginia.

VI. Sarah Ruth Barekman Lucas marries second husband in Washington D. C. 5/14/1946. She marries Arthur Russell Travers who was born 8/15/1909 in Madison MD.

They had following issue:

A. Larry Russell Travers B. 1/24/1949, Washington D. C..

B. Donna Marie Travers Born 11/23/1952 and died 11/16/1955 of Leukemia. Buried Cedar Hill Cemetery.

C. Patrice Alta Travers B. 4/26/1957. D. 4/26/1957. Buried Cedar Hill Cemetery Washington, D. C..

IX. Samuel Hamilton Barkman B. 12/13/1822 in Knox County, Indiana. Samuel died 10/27/1860, on land that he held in trust for his widowed mother Julian Barkman in Knox County, Indiana. Se estate papers-notice of debts-property insolvence and custodianship of minor child at end of chapter.

Samuel Hamilton Barkman married 1st. Sarah or Susan Cott about 1842. Probably in Decker township, Knox County, Indiana. Date of her death unknown, but before 1858.

They had two children we know of.

A. Minnie Barkman born 1851, dies young no further knowledge.

B. Alexander Henry Barkman B. 11/12/1842, Knox County, Indiana. Alexander died in Navarro County Texas 6/2/1874. After the death of his father Samuel Hamilton Barkman, Alex was taken to Texas by his mothers family. Alexander Barkman was a cousin to John Wesley Hardin, Texas outlaw. Alexander was also a cousin to the Anderson's Dixon's-Cunningham's and Clemmen's families of Navarro Texas. These families having come from Indiana at an earlier date.

While Alexander Barkman was not an outlaw, it was his misfortune to be killed by a Texas posse-because he was a cousin to John Wesley Hardin. The Dixons-Andersons-Clemmens and other Hardin men, met similiar fates.

Alexander H[illegible] Barkman married Susanna Louisa Anderson in Texas on 8/14/1867. Susanna Louisa Anderson B. 3/2/1851, and D. 8/7/1936, in Texas. (Susanna Barkman later married Rev. J. J. Davis). Susanna and Alexander Henry Barkman had 2 children.

1. James Samuel Alexander Barekman B. 9/28/1873 in Navarro County Texas. D. 3/31/1950 at Stephenville Texas. Married Ita Eliza Stone on 12/31/1899 at Mineral Wells Texas. Ita Eliza Stone B. 1/21/1879 at Mineral Wells Texas. Ita Eliza D. 7/13/1923 at Stephenville Texas. James and Ita Eliza Barekman had 7 children.

   A. Baby girl B. 10.16/1900. D. 10/19/1900.

   B. Ita Louise Barekman B. 8/9/1902. D. 1/5/1961.

   C. Charles Alexander Barekman B. 4/30/1904. D. 3/13/1917.

   D. Mary Elizabeth Barekman B. 4/1/1907.

   E. William Harold Barekman B. 7/22/1909.

   F. Jeimmie Virginia Barekman B. 11/23/1912. Married 9/28/1935 to J. Dixon White of Lubbock Texas. They have two children

      1. Kathryn Louise White B. 4/26/1938 at Brownwood Texas. Married Bob Lee Ford 7/16/1960 at Lubbock Texas.

      11. Nancy Virginia White B. 1/9/1943. Nancy married Jay Eagan on 5/8/1960 at Tahoka Texas. G. Jo

6. Joseph Anderson Barekman B. 10/19/1911. He married Mignon Lewis in Brady Texas. Mignon was born 7/16/1918 in Brady Texas. They have three children all born in Brady Texas.
   1. Carol Barekman B. 1/21/1948.
   2. Joe Hal Barekman B. 1/24/1951.
   3. Janette Barekman B. 4/2/1954.

2. Amazon Barekman B. 8/17/1870- the daughter of Alexander and Susanna Barekman married George W. Wadlington, Dec. 21, 1890. Married at Crawford, McClennan County, Texas. Amazon Barekman Wadlington died Jan. 26. 1910. Amazon and George W. Wadlington had six children.
   1. Vere Wadlington-never marries
   2. James Blake Wadlington- died June 1961
   3. Ita Dora Wadlington. Married Al. Baertich
   4. Henry Wadlington died 1949.
   5. Mary Wadlington- had two daughters.
   6. Rubye Wadlington- married a Mr. Norton .

IX. Samuel Hamilton Barkman married his 2nd wife on 8/21/1859. She was Mary Claycomb. They had a child who died in 1860, shortly before Samuel Hamilton Barkman who died 10/27/1860. Nothing further is known about Mary Claycomb Barkman.

William H. Barekman, a cousin to Samuel made the little coffin the infant Barkman baby was buried in.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the estate of Hamilton Barekman deceased. Said estate is supposed to be solvent

Wm Denny, Adm'r

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that I will sell at public auction on Saturday, the 8th day of December, at the residence of Hamilton Barekman, late of Khan County, deceased, all of his personal property not taken by the widow, consistion of horses, hogs, cattle, 1 two-horse wagon, 1 buggy, farming utensils, corn, oats, & c, A credit of twelve months will be given on all sums over three dollars, the purchaser giving note with approved security, waiving valuation and appraisement law.
Nov. 17 1860

Wm Denny, Adm'r.

The account of the Sale of the Personal Property of Hamilton Barkman, deceased, sold by Wm Denny Adm. at the late residence of the decedent, at Pulbic Sale, on the _____day of April 9, 1861.

estate of the deceded filed his petition to sell the Real Estate of the deceased, his personal being insufficient to pay his debts, and that afterward on the 14th day of January 1862, the said Henry filed his amended petition for the sale of said Land, and it also appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the defendants had been duly notified of the perdiency of said petition by publication and by posting up writen notice for more that thirty days before the first day of the present time of this court, as required by the statues in such case made and provide, therupon the defendant being three times called, came not, but made defult, and thereupon the plaintiff suggested to the court that the defendants- Alexander Barkman, is a minor under the age of twenty one years, upon Henry S. Cauthorn is appointed Guardian where on said defendants who appeared and filed his answer, and thereupon the adm, filed an inventory and appraisement of said Land made by James W. Williams and James Westfail, two disenterested resident house holders, and free holders of this county, Amounting to seventeen hundred and fifty dollars and thereupon the administrator filed his additional bond in double the amount after appraised value of said land, and then & there proved to the satisfaction of the court that it is necessary to sell all of deceased Real Estate to pay the debts ofdecedent. And thereupon Julia Barkman filed her petition or answer and prayed to be served party defendant to said petition representing in her said answer that she saw her husband Henry Barkman, now deceased conveyed to the deed Samuel H. Barkman, the land in the plainftiff petition mentioned, and that in consideration there of the said Samuel Hamilton Deed made and delivered to him his certain writing obligations dated the 18th day of November 1846, in the final sum of dollars, that he the said Samuel Hamilton Barkman show to support him the said Henry & Julia Barkman, during their material Lifes, a copy of which Bond is filed and made part of said answer, that the said deceased before his death made no provision for her future maintainance and support is the said land in the petition subscribed that their is now due where from the said Hamilton Barkman estate for her necessary support maintainance the sum of one hundren & thirty six dollars, as per bill of particulars filed, and made that the amount due to her maybe deducted to be a decreed upon the said land, and that the amount to decree to her in furture to the extent of the amount of the penalty of the said bond, maybe decreed to be a decree upon the said land and that the same if ordered to sold maybe sold subject to and decree with the amount now due and to become due to her for her support and maintainance as provided for in the said bond, and thereupon the court being fully advided in the premised finds that the said deceased in his lifetime did execute and deliver to the said Henry Barkman now dead, and Julia Barkman, a bond in the penalty of one thousand dollars, for the purpose for the uses in the said answer alleged, and that there is now due to the said Julia, on the said Bond, for her support and mantain, and so since the death of the said Samuel Hamilton Barkman deceased, the sum of one hundren thirty six dollars, which said sum is now here charged decred to be charge against a lien on said land, which said Real Estate is bonded and described as follows to wit (here copy discuption in the petition) and it is further and decreed by the court that the said real estate sold at the court house down in the city of Vincennes after giving the requisted notice on a audit of six twelve and eighteen months that take from the purchaser notes with approved security wervering benefit of valuation appraisement lars bearing interest purr date, and that the same be sold subject to and charged with the heir of said Julia Barkman have and hold a lein there on the same during her natural life as well for the amount now due as for the amount to become due to her as aforesaid, and it is further ordered by the court that if deemed advisiable by the adm that he be and he is hereby authorized to subdivide the the said land and sell the land at parcells, and it is farther ordered by the

court that this cause be continued until the next term of this court for report.

NOTICE OF INSOLVENCY

AT THE JANUARY TERM OF THE Court of Common Please, of Knox County, Indiana, the estate of Hamilton Barkman, deceased, was declared probably insolvent. Creditors are therefor notified that the same will be settled accordingly

A. B. McKee, Adm'r
March 5, 1864 — 4w de bonis non.

Listings

There are a few odd / we are unable to account for.
Melinda Barkman ? marries Henry A. Edwards on December 27th, 1847. The first records of births do not occur until 1861. The numerals were hard to read.

Mary Evans B. 1861
Clara ?? B. 1864
Henry ?? B. 1869
Thomas H. Barekman B. 1867

John Barkman marries Melinda Evans 11/23/1867. Mary Evans may have been born in 1851. And married to John, year of 1867. Then Henry and Thomas H. Barekman are their children. Clara may been born in 1854. We know that Thomas H. Barekman lived in Paris, Illinois, did not marry and was a barber.

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HENRY BARKMAN WAS BORN JUNE 23-1770
JULIAN BARKMAN [illegible] IN YEAR 1771
JOHN BARKMAN WAS BORN Feb. 21- 1804
MARGARET S. THE DAUGHTER OF HENRY BARKMAN WAS BORN Jan. 4-1805
PETER BARKMAN THE SON OF HENRY BARKMAN WAS BORN nov. 14-1807
ABRAHAM BARKMAN WAS BORN MARCH 11-1809
ELIZABETH BARKMAN WAS BORN JAN. 21-1811
JOSHUA BARKMAN WAS BORN Nov. 12-1813
DAVID BARKMAN WAS BORN Feb. 4-1815
HENRY BARKMAN JR. WAS BORN Dec. 21-1816
BROWN BARKMAN WAS BORN Jan. 13-1821
HAMILTON BARKMAN WAS BORN Dec. 13-1822
JULIAN BARKMAN THE DAUGHTER OF J. BARKMAN WAS BORN Ja. 7-1827
HENRY F. BARKMAN WAS BORN Oct. 12-1834
ABRAHAM DIED OCT. THE 20-1841
ROBERT BARKMAN BORN IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD SEPT. 8-1837
ELLEN BARKMAN BORN JUNE 8-1840

SECOND PAIGE FAMILY RECORDS

ANN ELIZA KIRK WAS BORN AUG. 25-1860
SARAH P. KIRK WAS BORN JAN. 8-1835
SAMUEL HAMILTON BARKMAN DIED OCT.-22-1860
ANNE ELIZA BARKMAN WAS BORN MARCH 16-1844
SIDNEY FRANCES BARKMAN DIED AUG. 11-1844
JULIA ANN BARKMAN DIED MARCH 5-1863
JOHN WESLEY BARKMAN DEPARTED THIS LIFE FEB. 27-1863
ELIZA BARKMAN DEPARTED THIS LIFE FEB. 20-1872
ELLEN LANGLEY DEPARTED THIS LIFE FEB. 27-1873
HANNAH E. SMITH DEPARTED THIS LIFE APRIL 30-1873

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ELIZA BARKMAN WAS BORN OCT. 13-1819
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HANNAH ELIZABETH BARKMAN WAS BORN SEPT. 11-1843
JOHN W. BARKMAN WAS BORN APRIL -2-1846
WILLIAM HENRY BARKMAN WAS BORN MARCH 30-1849
ISAAC HARNESS BARKMAN SEPT. 13-1853
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ROSA MAY BARKMAN WAS BORN DEC. 22-1870

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SARAH ELIZA LANGLEY WAS BORN MARCH 15-1868
HENRY C. LANGLEY WAS BORN SEPT. 27-1868
ELIZABETH ELLEN LANGLEY WAS BORN MARCH 8-1871
JOHN WILLIAM LANGLEY WAS BORN SEPT. 23-1872
SARAH E. LANGLEY DEPARTED THIS JULY 17-1868

ELIZABETH ELLEN LANGLEY DEPARTED THIS LIFE MAY 1-1872
MIRAM N. LANGLEY WAS BORN MARCH 11-1841
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ELLEN E. BAREKMAN DIED OCT. 10-1897
HELEN DIED JUNE 7-1941
ROY DIED JULY 15-1942

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DAVID BARRACKMAN

David Barrackman was a son of Julien Cohany and Henry Barrackman of Vincennes, Indiana.

David was born in Knox County, Indiana on February 4th, 1815. On December 10th, 1836, David Barrackman married Lucinda Parrenter in Knox County, Indiana. Lucinda was born in New York State.

David Barrackman sold his land in Decker Township in Knox County, Indiana and moved into Illinois and later into the state of Iowa.

We do not know the names of all of the children of David and Lucinda Barrackman. We do know of George Washington Barrackman, John W. Barrackman, and Florence Barrackman.

The name Barrackman later becomes Barrickman and by this name the family is known in Iowa.

The year of 1870 finds David and Lucinda Barrickman residing in Ward 2 of Des Moines, Iowa. David is a teamster. The only child at home is Florence Barrickman. Florence was born in Illinois in the year of 1855. To date we have no further information concerning Florence Barrickman.

Occupying the next dwelling in Ward 2 in Des Moines was David"s son, George W. Barrickman.

George Washington Barrickman was born in Vincennes, Indiana in 1846. George is listed as a laborer in a brickyard. We know from records that George W. Barrickman was dark-skinned, had black hair, grey eyes and was 5 feet 6 inches tall.

George was married to Edith Elizabeth Bird on March 21st, 1867 in Des Moines, Iowa. They were married by County Judge Weeks. John W. Barrickman, the brother to George, was his witness.

Edith Elizabeth Bird was born in Zanesville, Ohio on September 22nd, 1849; and at a later date her family moved into Oskaloosa, Iowa.

George W. Barrickman died on August 9th, 1922 in Des Moines, Iowa--the city hospital. Complications from war injuries had pursued him to the day of his death.

Edith Elizabeth Bird Barrickman died on December 16th, 1923.

They are both buried in Woodland Cemetery in Des Moines, Iowa.

Before going into the family history of George and Edith

Barrickman the war service of George W. Barrickman is listed.

George W. Barrickman enlisted from Oskaloosa, Mahaska County, Iowa on March 14th, 1862. He enrolled in Company C, 17th Reg. Iowa Inf. George W. Barrickman was mustered out with his detachment at Davenport, Iowa on July 5th, 1865.

Following are excerpts from government documents relating to his war service.

Prisoner of war records show him captured at Iuka, Mississippi, September of 1862. He was Paroled at Baton Rouge, Louisiana on October 9th, 1862. He was reported at Benton Bk's. Missouri on June 21st, 1863; disposition not given. Again captured at Tilton, Georgia. This was on October 13th, 1864; conf'd. at Andersonville, Geergia; date not given. Paroled at Jacksonville, Florida on April 28th, 1865. Reported at College Green Bk's., Maryland on May 11th, 1865; sent to Benton Bk's., Missouri on May 15th, 1865 where he arrived on May 21st, 1865. He was mustered out on May 22nd, 1865.

Also:

George W. Barrickman, age, 18 years, Co. C, 17th Iowa Infantry. In addition to the incolsed statement the rolls show him as follows: August 31st, 1863, present; reported missing on September 19th, 1862. He was arrested as a deserter at Oskaloosa, Iowa and was taken to Keokuk. The expenses of the arrest were $18.82. He was returned to duty on July 14th, 1863. He was never tried. October 31st, 1863, In arrest in Memphis. September 28, 1863, December 31st, 1863: same. February 29th, 1864 Present. Other records show that he deserted on September 30th, 1863 at Memphis, Tennessee, he was arrested on January 3rd , 1864 at Frederick, Schuyler County and received at Headquarters Camp Butleron February 2nd, 1864. The enclosed statement should show him paroled at Baton Rouge, Louisiana on October 9th, 1862 and has been amended accordingly. On July 13th, 1911, It was ascertained that he was discharged on June 5th, 1865. Much of the records as indicated that he was discharged on a prior date were erroneous. Age at re-enlistment was 20 years.

George W. Barrickman contracted diarrhea, rheumatism of the back, lumbago and kidney disease. At Camp Clear Creek near Corinth, Mississippi, he lost the hearing in his right ear. George had been a farmer--but all these disabilities rendered it difficult--and he was forced to move into Des Moines and took up work in the brickyard.

After the marriage of George to Edith Bird--they had many children. Official records list the following children.

1. Albert W. W. Barrickman, born on November 15th, 1875.
2. Harry G. Barrickman, born on April 6th, 1878.
3. Hattie Gertrude Barrickman, born on March 13th, 1887.

All were born in Polk County, Iowa.

4. Eddis Barrickman, born on December 6th, 1867. Died on December 10th, 1867.
5. Charley H. Barrickman, born on August 20th, 1868. He died on August 1st, 1871.
6. Fredrick C. Barrickman, born on February 6th, 1876. He died on August 7th, 1876.
7. Bertha B. Barrickman, born on June 23rd, 1872. She died on December 17th, 1876.

The children who died so early were all victims of scarlet fever or small pox. For awhile Edith left Des Moines and returned to Oskaloosa, Iowa with Albert W. and Harry G. Barrickman. These were the only two boys who lived.

Albert W. W. Barrickman was known as William Barrickman. He dropped one "r" later in his name and was William Barickman. He married Cora Parker. They were later separated. William Barickman died on August 6th, 1916 in Peru, Iowa.

William and Cora Barickman had four children. They were Daphne, Dot, Cecille, and Verle Barickman.

Daphne and Dot Barickman are mentioned in their Grandmother Edith Barrickman's will. This was probated in 1922.

Verle Barickman was the son of William and Cora. He now resides in Turlock, California with his sister--Mrs. Lawrence Elliott.

The second son of George and Edith Barrickman was born on April 6th, 1878---Harry Gilbert Barickman. He also dropped the second "r" from his family name. Harry Gilbert died on April 23rd, 1945. The petition for the administration in his estate shows that Harry had five children.

Harry G. Barickman married Florence Lucretia Andrus, born

in Andrusville, Nebraska on October 23rd, 1884. The father of Florence was Orsamus Merritt Andrus. He was born in Pennsylvania and served in the Civil War from Pennsylvania. The mother of Florence Andrus Barickman was Mary Atlantic Fuller, born in New Jersey. Mary's father was a light-house keeper at Barnyat Light. These families moved to Nebraska to homestead.

Harry G. Barickman and Florence Andrus were married on June 10th, 1911. The wedding took place in Des Moines, Iowa. Florence died in November of 1951 in Towaco, New Jersey.

Following are the genealogies of the six children of Harry and Florence:---

1) Harold Gilbert Barickman, born on July 24th, 1912 in Des Moines, Iowa, in Polk County. He now resides in Burbank, California. Harold married Helen Lucretia Callard who was born in Englewood, New Jersey on December 19th, 1943--(date of wedding, not birth.) Helen was born on November 21st, 1916. She was the daughter of John W. Callard and Jennie A. Demarest. Harold and Helen now have three children:---Lee W., born on October 27th, 1940; Diane L., born on November 4th, 1945; andLinda L., born on January 7th, 1949. All the children were born in California.

2) Leroy Kingman Barickman, born on January 6th, 1927. He was married in December of 1953 to Patricia ? Nothing else is known concerning Leroy.

3) Elizabeth Barickman, born on May 9th, 1925 in Des Moines, Iowa. She married Paul Shapiro who was born on September 27th, 1927. He was from Brooklyn, New York. They were married on April 21st, 1951. Paul was the child of Charles Shapiro and Rose Der Browsky. Paul Shapiro died on March 1st, 1956. He is buried in Hillside Cemetery in Venice, California. Elizabeth Barickman and Paul Shapiro had three children:---Gail, born on March 8th, 1952; Wayne, born on July 31st, 1953; and Lynn Shapro, born on May 13th, 1955. All were born in California.

4) Lorraine (Janie) Barickman, was born on January 24th, 1919 in Des Moines, Iowa. Lorraine married the Reverend Gideon Raymond Walbrink on January 15th, 1944 in Des Moines, Iowa. Gideon Walbrink was born on July 26th, 1916 in Stickney, South Dakota. They now have four children:---Janie Marie, born on January 21st, 1945; Paul Henry, born on December 30th, 1946; Harriett Elaine, born on December 22nd, 1948; and Martha Ann, born on September 23rd, 1951

5) Mary Atlanta Barickman, born on June 3rd, 1915 in Des Moines, Iowa. On June 1st, 1946 Mary married Robert H. Gaunt. She had been married previously to Richard A. Johnson of Des Moines, Iowa in the year of 1937.

6) Catherine Elizabeth Barickman, born on May 9th, 1916 and died in 1921.

George and Edith Barrickman had an adopted child. They named the infant--Hattie. Hattie did not know that she was adopted until she was an adult. George and Edith had lost so many babies that they were delighted to have a little girl to raise. Hattie married a man by the last name of Walker.

David Barrackman, the father of George W. Barrickman and Florence, also had other children. A son John (H.) (W.) Barrackman married Anna Bird. John and Anna Bird Barr(i)(a)ckman had a son---Charlie, born on February 4th, 1881. They had a second son by the name of William A. Barrackman, born on February 18th, 1886. A daughter was Adda E. Barrackman, born on December 6th, 1864? She married Lincoln Jackson, an Occupation Engineer. At the time they were both 21. The date of the marriage was December of 1885; it took place at Oskaloosa, Iowa.

NOTE:---In Oskaloosa and Centerville, Iowa also lived William H. Barrickman and his wife--Margaret. William and David Barrackman-Barrickman were cousins. William Barrickman was the son of Captain John Barrickman of Pennsylvania--the War of 1812. John's dad was Michael Barrickman. Michael Barrickman of Pennsylvania was the brother of Henry Barrackman-Barkman of Indiana. The father of these men--Michael and Henry--was Peter Barrackman of Maryland, Pennsylvania, and Indiana. In "The Pennsylvania Barrickmans" you will read about the line of Michael Barrickman at great length.

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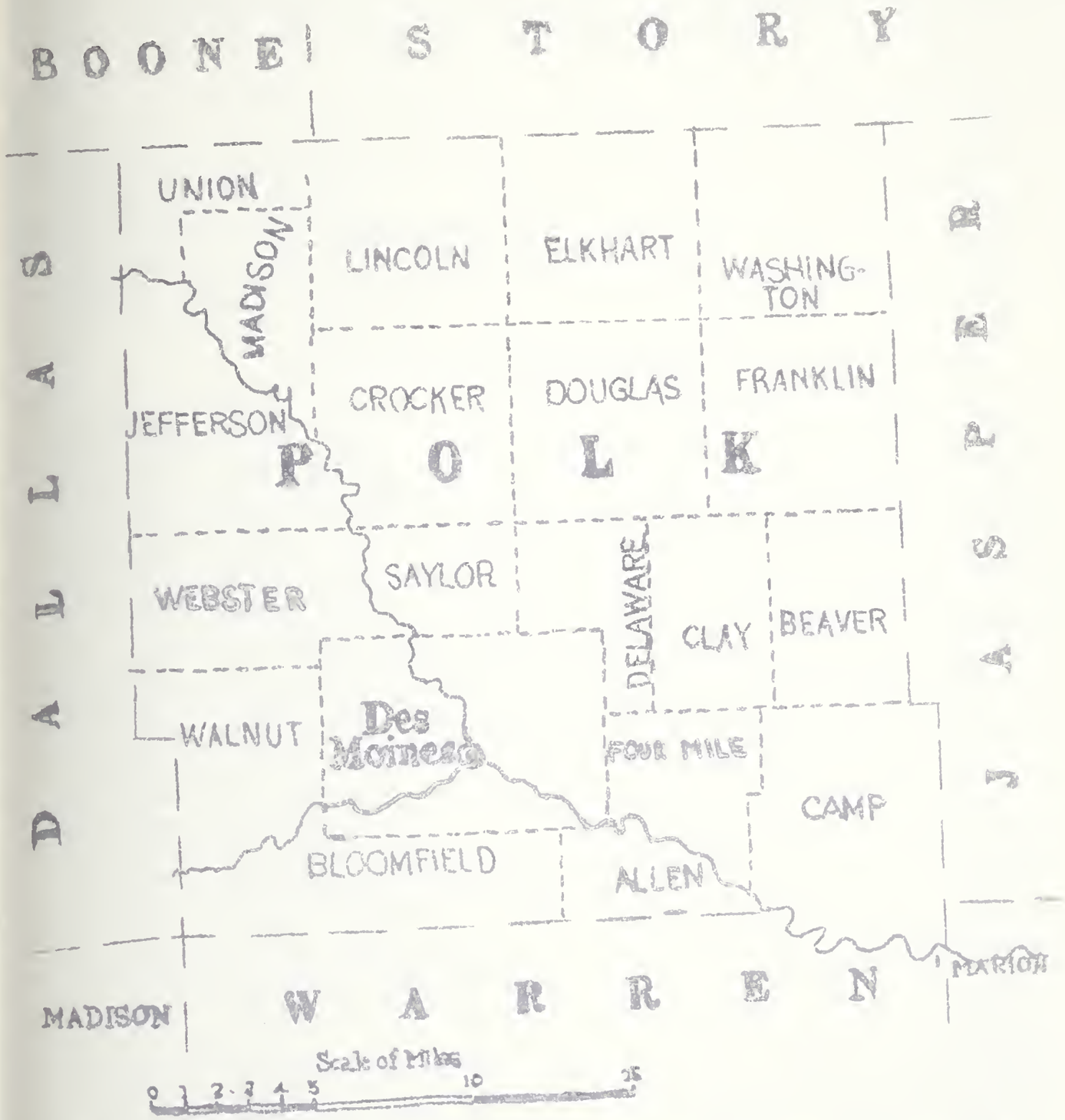

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JOHN BARRACKMAN
FAMILY HISTORY

John Barkman (Barrackman) was the last son born to Peter and Elisabeth Antes Barrackman, in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. John was born in the year of 1785. He was brought to Fort Vincennes in the north west area, as an infant in the year of 1785.

We find John listed on the Election Polls for Knox County, Indiana held April 3, 1809. He voted from Palmyra Township. Also listed as voters are his only living brothers Abraham, and Henry Barrackman.

John served a term as sheriff of Knox County Indiana, and was active in civic affairs.

John Barkman served in the War of 1812, and fought the Indians along the Wabash. He served for awhile under Colonel Ephriam Jordan.

He then served under Captain Benjamin V. Beckes.

Following is the account of John Barkman's service as, "Found in the Muster, Pay and Receipt Rolls of Indiana Territory Volunteers or Militia of the period of the War of 1812. Deposited in the Office of the War Department of the United States Adjutant General's Office." "John Barkman put in the Muster Roll of a company of mounted and Fort Militia under the command of Captain Benjamin V. Beckes in 4th. Regiment of Indiana Militia called into service of the United States by John Givson, Colonel Robert M. Evans from the 6th. of September, to the 19th of November, 1812. Also, "listed for 22nd. to 31st. of October 1812, under Captain Benjamin V. Beckes, and 6th. of September to 20th. of September, 1812, as well as on Pay roll lists."

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Bounty Land application tile on John Barkman 162 841. Knox County Indiana

John Barkman, living in Knox County, Indiana at the time, filed an application for bounty land claiming service in the war of 1812 from Indiana, on June 1855. He declared he was 71 years old and had service under Captain Walter Wilson and Colonel Ephriam Jordan, Indiana Militia. This service he stated was against Indians on the Wabash River.

John Barkman did not give dates of service. He did not state where he enlisted and said nothing about his discharge.

John Barkman filed for the land under October 3, 1855. N. B. Barron and John C. Clark attested. Wm. Denny, clerk of the court took the declaration.

On 18 July 1856 his claim was rejected because the 3rd. auditor of the U. S. Treasury reported that John Barkman's name did not appear on the rolls of Captain Wilson in June and July 1810 nor from September to November 1811.

There is no family information in the file which is very small.

There is nothing to identify John Barkman except his name.

Frank L. Baer
4513 Brandwine St., N W
Washington 16, D. C.

John did not apply for a bounty land grant until 1851. At this time no one remained who could witness for him and as a result, he was denied this land. He marries Jane Hanna on July 26, 1810 in Palmyra Township, Knox County, Indiana. John died 1855; Jane died 10/11/1846. Both are buried at Indiana

Church in Knox County, Indiana. We also know that Jane was born in 1785, the same year as John. Jane Hannah was a child of William and Mary Hannah of Westmoreland County Pennsylvania. Both John Barkman and his wife Jane Hannah Barkman, are mentioned in William Hannah's estate, and noted as such in the Vincennes Indiana Gazette, May 4, 1839.

I, John Barkman of the County of Knox and State of Indiana, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all former Wills by me at anytime her to fore made. First- I direct that my body be decently buried and that my funeral be conducted in a manner comporting with my Estate and situation in life, and as to such worldy Estate as it has pleased God to entrust me with. I dispose of the same in the manner following to-wit- I direct first that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible out of the first money that may come to the hands of my sons. The balance of my personal Estate I give and bequeath to my four sons to-wit- Joseph R. Barkman, Thomas C. Barkman, John K. Barkman, and William W. Barkman. Except four dollars worth there of which I direct to be given as follows, One dollar I bequeath to Rebecca Jordan, my daughter, and to my daughter Mary Thorn, I bequeath One dollar, and to my daughter Sarah Johnson, I bequeath one dollar. Secondly I give and bequeath to my Sons William W. Barkman, and Joseph R. Barkman-their heirs, and assigns forever-to be equally divided between them all that certain tract of land known of the Gassett Farm, situated in the County of Knox, and State of Indiana-on the North Fork of the River Duchee, and containing One Hundred acres. Thirdly- I give and bequeath to my two Sons John K. Barkman-and Thomas C. Barkman, their heirs and assigns forever, to be equally divided between them the tract of land on which I now reside, containing about One Hundred and Thirty Seven acres-- Fifty two acres and Fifty Hundredths of which I purchased of Abraham Barkman and Wife being part of Survey No. 2 in town 2, North Range 10 West- the balance of Eighty five acres and Thirteen and One half Poles was set apart to me inthe Division of my Fathers Estate. Reference to said Division in the Knox Probate Court will more fully show. Provided the said John K. Barkman and Thomas C. Barkman shall maintain support and comfortably provide for me till my death. IN WITNESS WHERE OF I John Barkman the Testator have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Fifteenth Day of September, 1855

John Barkman

WITNESS
Jno Caldwell (Married to Rebecca Barekman 12-23-1807
John Alton

Bible of John Barkman Born 1785
In Pennsylvania, who lived in
Knox County, Indiana.

The
New Testamant
of
Our Lord and Savior
Jesus Christ
Translated
out of the original Greek
and

NOTE. One dollar also went to Eliza Underwood, his daugther.

with the former Translations
Diligent by Compared and Revised
Boston
Printed for Lincoln and Edmands
Sold at their Bible ware house, no. 35, Cornhill
W. Greenough Printer
1817

Front of Book

John Barekmans book Jan. th. 13-1833
I do not know why he has not added his last child born in 1830. Some front pages of Bible are missing.

James Barekman was born March the 17-1812
Albert G. Barekman was born September 5-1814
James Bark
Rebecha Barkman born June 13-1816
Mary Barkman born August 23-1818
Eliza Barkman born December 16-1820
Joseph B. Barkman born April 7-1822
William H. Barkman born May 8-1824
John K. Barkman born June 12-1826
Thomas C. Barkman born June 8-1828

In the back of bible is the following
"The year of Jubilee has come rejoice ye sinners", and these dates are added
James Barekman was born March 17-1811
Albert Barekman born Sept. 5-1813
(a change in dates-one year earlier)

This Bible is owned by John Barkmans great-great-grand daughter

June B. Barekman
4564 W. George St.
Chicago 41, Illinois

John and Jane Hannah Barkman had the following ten (10) children:

I. James Barkman B-3/17/1811——D. 1843. Remains single. He left his property to his five (5) brothers. Following is the will of James Barkman. No other information.

I, James Barkman of the County of Knox and State of Indiana do make and publish this my Last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made. First I direct that my body be decently interred and as to such worldly Estate as it has pleased God invest me with I dispose of the same in the following manner, to-wit:
In the Second place I will and bequeath to Brother Albert G. Barkman all my Real and personal Estate of all description on the following condition that the said Albert G. Barkman will pay or cause to be paid to brother Joseph R. Barkman the sum of One Hundred and fifty dollars to my brother William F. Barkman the sum of One Hundred

and fifty Dollars and to my brother John R. Barkman the sum of One Hundred and twenty five dollars and to my brother Thomas C. Barekman the sum of One Hundred and twenty five dollars and in case that my brother Albert G. Barkman refuses to except of this my will he then will be entitled only to an equal share with Joseph R. Barekman and William B. Barkman and all shares to be in the same proportion as above stated and I do hereby make and ordain my brother Albert G. Barkman Executor of this my Last Will and Testament.
In Witness whereof I James Barkman the testator have hereunto set my hand and seal the Twenty first day of April in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Forty Two.

James his X mark Barkman

Signed Sealed and published and declared by the above named James Barkman as his Last Will and Testament in presence of us who have hereunto subscribed our names as witness thereto in the presence of the Testator and in the presence of each other.

Wm Scott
George F. Westfall
Minard S. Smith

Codicil to my last Will and Testament is that the said Albert G. Barkman is to pay the said Joseph R. Barkman, William B. Barkman, John R. Barkman and Thomas C. Barkman the amount stated in the body of said Will as they will severally arrive at the age of Twenty One years. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal April twenty first in the year of our Lord 1842
Signed & Sealed in the presence of

James X his mark Barkman

Wm Scott
George F. Westfall
Minard S. Smith

State of Indiana
Knox County

Personally appeared before me the undersigned Clerk of the Knox probate Court William Scott, George F. Westfall and Minard S. Smith the subscribing witnesses to the above and foregoing Will and Codicil thereto annexed and made oath that they saw James Barkman dec. the testator therein named sign and seal and heard him publish and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament and to the best of their apprehension he was of sound mind memory and understanding and that they subscribed their names as witnesses thereto in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the Seal of said Court at Vincennes this 21st. day of May Anno Domini 1842

Wm R. McCord, Clerk

II. Albert G. Barkman was the second son of John and Jane Barkman. Albert was born 9/5/1813—D. 1844 Remains single. He also leaves his

estate to his four (4) brothers and four (4) sisters. Following is Alberts estate.

State of Indiana
August 16, 1844

A true and Perfect inventory of the goods chattels rights and credits moneys and Effects and the appriesement of the Estate of Albert G. Barkman Deceased, as made by John Barkman kin Administrator 16th of August 1844. With the assistance of William Scott and John Westfall Appraiser.

INVENTORY OF GOODS AND CHATTLES

1	Brown Steer	$13	00
1	White Steer	14	00
1	Spotted Steer	14	00
1	Red speckled steer	13	00
1	Gold Work oxen	35	00
1	Spotted pale red steer	14	00
1	Black " " "	13	00
1	White faced spotted steer	13	00
1	Horse	45	00
1	Mare	30	00
15	Head of Sheep D. 1 25 per head	18	75
1	Ox Waggon	30	75
1	Black Smith bellows	7	75
1	Anvil	4	50
2	Black Smith hammers	1	50
2	" " Forges	1	50
1	Long Log Chain	1	50
1	Short " "	1	50
1	Short two hooks	2	00
1	Fifth	1	25
1	Pennant Saw	1	50
1	Drawing Knife		63
1	Three Quarter inch auger		25
1	Sett match planis	2	25
1	Jack plain		75
1	Joint plain		75
1	Smoothing plain		75
1	Lay Sqr "		75
1	Small "		50
2	chisels	1	37
1	whit stone		36
1	Moulding plain	1	50
1	Chapping Ax.	1	75
1	" "	1	75
1	Cross cut Saw	3	00
		$289	.31

RIGHTS CREDITS AND NOTES

A Note on John Barkman Drawn Sept. 16 1840 Due one 3.33 Day from date doubtful
A " " Mickeal Richardville Drawn June 5th 1842 Due one day after date 3.33 Good

Albert Estate continued

A Note one	Harrey Scott	Drawn	May 21 1841	Due one day after date	10.33	doubt-ful
A " "	Harrey Scott	"	April 20 1842	nine mos.	15.""	"
A " "	Harrey Scott	"	Nov 21 1842	one day after date	20.""	"
A " "	Enoch Jones	"	March 27 1843	" " " "	6.75	"
Due Bill Bailey was ford		"	June 6th 1842	two payment		

Original amount 26 90 balance due withour interest 6.90 doubtful

A Note on	Mrs. I Lemons and Mrs A. Lemons	May 26th	1842	19.48	unknown	
" " "	Do Do	May 2	1840	$ 27.		
" " "	Mrs A. Lemons and Mrs. I Lemons	April	1840	20 7.00	unknown	
" " "	" " " " " " "	May 20		5.00	unknown	
" " "	Wm M. Berivis	Aug 10	1841	3.62½	doubtful	
" " "	Lemons	Sept 23	41	5.00		
" " "	Eagen Delish and Andy Delish	Ap 21	1841	50. 00		
		May 5	41	$50.00	Doubtful	
				$155.08½		

BLANCEES DUE FROM BOOK

		page			
Mr.	Samuel Kincade Due from Book	3	1	66	
"	James Henderson " " "	7	58	17	good
"	Victor " " "	9	""	46	doubtful
"	William Smith " " "	"	""	80	good
"	Macey Westfall " " "	10	"5	22	good
"	William Casey " " "	12	25	9	unknown
"	Abraham Barkman " " "	13	"3	6	good
"	Jacob Hasper " " "	15	14	42	doubtful
"	B. V. Bicks (notic this account pertularly)	17	226	06	probable paid
"	John B. Dunning (" also this one ")	18	40	61	doubtful
"	Francis Peter " " " "	19	240	91	"
"	Andrew Gardnes " " "	""	""2	88	"
"	Jacob May " " "	21	"""	26	"
"	Arron Reel " " "	23	"""	50	good
"	D. S. Bonner " " "	24	""4	35	probably paid
"	William Scott " " "	25	"14	58	probably paid
"	Harvey Scott " " "	26	"13	09	doubtful
"	Issac Westfall " " "	27	"22	09	doubtful
"	Solomon Uetzell " " "	28	""7	50	doubtful
"	Ecley " " "	29	"10	87	good
"	William Burtch (notice this account pertularly)	30	239	72	probably paid
"	J. S. V. W J Wise " " " "	31	163	52	probably paid
"	L. Liberty " " "	32	""7	43	doubtful
"	John C. Hollard " " "	33	""5	72	doubtful
"	Henry Barkman " " "	35	""5	60	good
"	Joseph Cardnell " " "	36	"14	13	doubtful
"	Joseph Teriac " " "	37	"14	98	doubtful
"	Henry Lotz " " "	38	"19	62	good
"	Elilah Staut " " "	39	"32	09	doubtful
"	Solomon Hirch " " "	41	""2	65	doubtful
"	William Hays " " "	44	""6	83	probably paid
"	John Dumum " " "	26	"""	91	good
"	Daniel Smith " " "	""	""7	09	good

Mr.	Dr Souph James (notice this account partularly)	47	17	25 probably pd
"	Erans Brown " " " "	48	""5	48
"	Daniel Smith " " " "	50	"19	67 good
"	William Barakman " " " "	51	""1	45 good
"	James Colliner " " " "	53	""2	51 doubtfull
"	Mickel Dunmun	54	998	72 good
"	John Vankirk	55	""2	"" DO
"	Ora Richardville	56	914	22 doubtfull
"	Isaac Sanders	57	"32	27 good
"	Edwin A. Brown	58	"""	91 doubtfull
"	Autum Mommu?	""	""4	66 do
"	John Seltzer	59	""7	do
"	Jacob Pea	""	""4	do
"	Lombier Burway	60	"""	"5 do
"	Samuel Furley	""	""1	09 do
"	Aarin Reel (again)	61	""2	78 do
"	Tousany Puney	62	""5	16 doubtfull
"	William Currey (NB of this aut)	63	133	37 do
"	Lewis Liberty (again)	65	""4	35 do
"	H. P. Brokaw	66	""2	40 good
"	Lewis Stolap	""	""4	64 doubtfull
"	John Heberd	67	""5	"" good
"	Lewis Stolap	68	""5	62 doubtfull
"	William Alton	""	""3	22 good
"	Cannin	69	"12	19 doubtfull
"	Presedent Ballier	70	""9	71 good
"	Antoine Burway (again)	71	""4	27 doubtfull
"	John Alton	72	"44	75 good

" N B some of the above names will be found twice or more on the lise

	$1314.11 Total
Wm Adams	2.55
	1.50
Mrs Westfall	1.52
	$1319.68
	155.08½
notes	289.31
goods chattles	
Oct 1840 Knox Court_____	$1764.07½
	147.90 good
	$1911.97

John Barkman Wm Scott
John Westfall

III. Rebecca Barkman is the third child of John and Jane Hanna Barkman. She was born 6/13/1816. Her first marriage is to Isaac Sanders 8/23/1841. No record of death or children. On 10/21/1847 she marries Ephriam Jordan, who was B. 11/4/1811 and D. 4/12/1872. As Rebecca marries twice and Ephriam three times, we cannot tell definitely what children belong to these marriages.
TO BE INCLUDED IN "KNOX COUNTY, KINFOLKS"
(Chapter on the Jordans)

IV. Mary Barkman is the daughter of John and Jane Hannah Barkman. She was born on August 23rd, 1818 in Indiana. She married Solomon Thorn on September 19th, 1837. Solomon was born in 1814 in Indiana. His grandfather, Solomon Thorn, served as a militiaman under Colonel Francis Vigo and Captain Pierre Gamlin at Post Vincennes in 1790. No records appear on Mary Barkman and Solomon Thorn until 1860. They were not in Knox County, Indiana for the 1850 census. Solomon Thorn died in 1881 and Mary Barkman Thorn died on October 14th, 1888. Both are buried in the Indiana Presbyterian Church Yard. Following is the will of Solomon Thorn.

I, Solomon Thorne of Knox County, in the State of Indiana, being in a sound mind and knowing the uncertainty of this mortal life, do make and publish this as my Last Will and Testament.
Item 1--I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Mary Thorne, the farm on which I now live on in Johnson Township, Knox County, Indiana, known and described as follows: Part of survey number 10 and 11 township number (2) Range (10) containing forty-five acres more or less, to have and hold the same in fee simple while she remains my widow, otharwise null and void.
2nd--I give and bequeath to my wife, Mary Thorne, all of my personal property, household and kitchen furniture, money on hand, or anything else I have or may have coming to me, providing the said devisee pays all of my debts and funeral expenses, excepting the following bequests.
3rd--I give to my granddaughter, Vinette Thorne,(nee Roberts) one dollar.
4th--To my son, Albert Thorne, sum of one dollar.
5th--To my son, Claudius Thorne, the sum of one dollar.
6th--To my daughter, Eliza B. Williams. the sum of one dollar.
7th--To my daughter, Laura D. Thorne, the sum of one dollar.
8th--To my son-in-law, Millard Hoffman, the sum of one dollar.
9th--To my daughter, Jane B. Thorne, the sum of one dollar.
I do hereby nominate and appoint my wife, Mary Thorne, executor of this, my last Will and Testament, hereby authorizing her to settle all of my business, compromise, adjust, and release and pay all of my debts, and see to carrying out of the aforesaid requests. The said executor is not required to give any bond, or my estate to be taken into court.
I hereby revoking all former wills. In testimony hereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this seventh day of February, 1881.

Solomon Thorn (SEAL)

Signed and acknowledged by said Testator as his last will and testament in our presence and signed by us in his presence the 7th day of February, 1881.
Witness: Wm. M. Setzer
Frederick Vollmer

Following is all the information which I possess on the children of Mary and Solomon Thorn at this time:--
1. Albert Thorn was born in 1846. He married Sophie ? who was born in 1848 in Indiana. The children were D. Benjamin born in 1863 and Albert Thorn Jr. born in 1873.
2. Claudius Thorn was born in 1857. He married Annie ? born in 1856. There was one daughter Grace Thorn born in 1879 in Indiana.

3. Joshua was born in 1838. He married first Cassandra born in 1829 in Indiana. There was one child named Elizabeth. Joshua's second wife was Lucetta born in 1844 in Ohio. There was one child named Mary M. Thorn born in 1864 in Ohio.
4. Eliza Thorn was born in 1850. She married a Williams.
5. Julia Thorn, born in 1853. 6. Laura Thorn, born in 1859. Anyone having information on this family, please write to me.

V. Eliza Barkman was the fifth child of John and Jane Hannah Barkman. She was born on December 20th, 1820. She married Alcander Underwood on December 26th, 1837. No record of Alcander's or Eliza's deaths. No record of children. No records to be found to show that they ever lived in Knox County, Indiana after their marriage. They moved into Tennessee and had one child, a girl. I will appreciate data on this family group.

VI. Joseph R. Barkman was born on April 7th, 1822. Joseph is the sixth child of John and Jane Hannah Barkman. Joseph remains single. No further information on Joseph other than that he leaves his estate to his younger brothers, William H. and John K. and to the heirs of Thomas C. Barkman, his youngest brother. Following is the will of Joseph R. Barkman:----

Know all men by these presents that I, Joseph R. Barkman of Harrison Township, County of Knox and State of Indiana..... I give to John H. Barkman, (brother), three-fifths of the undivided half of the Garnet farm.....the remaining two-fifths I bequeath to William H. Barakman, (brother), of the aforenamed tract of land, the aforesaid John K. (brother) and William H. Barakman are to give on the receipt of said land.... two hundred dollars in money to Thomas L. Barkman, (brother), Curn Barakman, (Nephew), also is to have two hundred dollars, and Isabel H. Barakman (niece), is to have one hundred dollars, the above bound and John and William Barkman are each to pay the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars each being the half of $500.00. In witness whereof thereunto set my hand and seal at Vincennes Township of said County aforesaid this 23rd day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty nine. (1859). JOSEPH R. BARKMAN (SEAL)
Signed and sealed by said Joseph R. Barkman as and for his last testimony in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other and at his request have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses. M. L. Edson
W. L. Edson

VII. William H. was born in 1824 on May 8th. He was the seventh child of John and Jane Hannah Barkman. William married Julia Lucinda Smith on May 12th, 1850. Julia was born in 1827. William H. died in 1895. Both William H. and Julia Lucinda are buried at the old Herman Church Site--Hart Street Road in Vincennes, Indiana. William H. and Julia had four children. All were born on the old Barekman Farm which is sometimes called the "Gassett" or "Garnet" Farms. The Barrackman Chapel was here built by the Barkman men. Fire destroyed it at a later

date and it was never rebuilt. Trinity Church, which is situated about ¼ mile away replaced Barrackman Chapel. The surrounding farm families all attended church at Barrackman Chapel. Following is the Will of William H. Barekman.

I, the undersigned William H. Barekman a resident of Knox County in the State of Indiana being of lawful age and of sound and disposing mind do make declare and publish this my Last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills heretofore by me made.
First- I give and bequeath to my beloved Son Lyman H. Barekman the sum of One Hundred Dollars to be paid by my Executor within one year after my death without interest.
Second- I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Hannah Presnell the sum of One Hundred Dollars to be paid by my Executor within one year after my death without interest.
Third- I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Millie Leech the sum of One Hundred Dollars to be paid by my Executor within one year after my death without interest.
Fourth- All the residue and remainder of my estate and property, real and personal, after the payment of my just and lawful debts and the legacies above set forth I give devise and bequeath to my beloved son Alexander Barekman in fee simple and for his own use forever.
Fifth- I hereby appoint my said son Alexander Barekman sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament and I hereby request him not to take the estate into court.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this 26th day of May, 1894.

W. H. Barekman

The within instrument in writing was signed by William H. Barekman in our presence this 26th day of May 1894 and the same was then and there by him to us declared to be his Last Will and Testament and we have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses at the request of said testator in his presence and in presence of each other.

H. Brokhage

Louis A. Meyer

The following are William H. and Julia's children.

A. Lyman H. Barkman - B. 1852. Married Margaret Roxanna Beckes 10/6/1874. (The Beckes Family are early prominent settlers in Vincennes). Margaret was B. 10/6/1857. She D. 3/2/1881. Lyman D. 11/9/1935. They had only two girls. Both Lyman and Margaret, are buried at Indiana Church. Their children are:

1. Effie Barekman B-3/18/1879. D. 2/27/1882.
2. Maud Barekman B. 1875. Following is guardianship of Maude Barekman (Minor)

STATE OF INDIANA [illegible] COURT [illegible]

KNOX COUNTY SS: November Term 1893.

In the matter of the guardianship of Maude Barekman (minor)

LYMAN H. BAREKMAN, Guardian.

REPORT of the sale of REAL ESTATE

The undersigned Guardian of the above named Maude Barekman, reports to the Court, that pursuant to the order of the Court made in said proceedings, he sold to W. Elmer Beckes at private sale and for cash in hand, the one third part of the following described Real Estate ToWit:

Forty Eight feet (48 ft) off of the North east portion or end of the South East one half of lot Number Seventy Nine (79) in Harrison's Addition to Old Borough now City of Vincennes Indiana, at private sale on the 15th day of December 1893, on the terms prescribed in said order, to said W. Elmer Beckes, for the sum of Seventy Dollars ($70.00) that being the highest and best price offered, and the highest and best bid said Guardian could obtain for said real estate, and that being the full appraised value thereof.

Wherefore said guardian prays that the Court approve the sale of said real estate and order that he execute to said purchaser a deed for the same.

Lyman H. Barekman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of December 1893.

Homer M. Beckes
Notary Public

Maud Barekman married Frank Dilly 2/16/1897 Frank was born-Bedford, Indiana 12/24/1876. Maud D. 2/1906. Frank D.-June 1951. Both buried Fairfieu Cemetery in Vincennes, Indiana. Frank and Maud Dilly had four(4) childrens

a. Lyman Dilly-B. 2/18/1898-D.2/18/1898.
b. Roscoe Dilly B.5/10/1902-Knox County, Indiana.
c. Raymond Dilly-B.4/29/1905.
d. Mary Roxana Dilly-B. 4/8/1899 Knox County, Indiana. Marries Leon Chumlea on 6/21/1921. Leon Chumlea B. West Lebanon, Indiana 5/1/1897. "Roxie" and Leon have two girls:
   1. Patricia Ruth Chumlea-B. 6/9/1922 at Lafayette, Indiana. Patricia served as a hospital technician in the WAC's during World War II. She married William McKinney 11/10/1946 at San Antonio, Texas.
   2. Judith Ann Chumlea-B. 11/5/1935. Lebanon, Indiana

B. Hannah J. Barekman B-1854. Daughter of William H. Barkman and Julia. Married James M. Proxmell. James B-1854-D. 1934. Hannah died 1912. There were 5 children
a.1-2-First 2 sons died in infancy.

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c. Albert Presnell B-1884-D-1959. Children are:
1. Robert Presnell B-1912- Died 1932.
2. Lorraine Presnell (Bauman)
3. Jack Presnell
4. Betty Presnell (Keller)

d. Bessie Presnell 1888-1933
e. Ruby Presnell Gray 1892- Widow of Walter A Gray.
All 5 above were born in Vincennes, Indiana.

C. Alcander U. Barekman B- 6/21/1858. Son of William H. and Julia Barekman. Marries Ida Sanders 8/28/1892. Alcander D. 2/4/1912. Ida B.-9/11/1867; D. 10/3/1946. Both buried at Fairview Cemetery, Vincennes, Indiana. Alcander and Ida had the following children:

a. William Roscoe Barekman B-6/15/1893. D-9/3/1893. Buried in Herman Cemetery.
b. Julia L. Barekman B-3/13/1895. Marries 1/24/1929 to George M. Jordan who was B. 1/16/1878 and D. 3/20/1956. No issue.
c. Guy B. Barekman B- 1/29/1896--D. 8/26/1896. Buried-Herman Cemetery.
d. George Barekman B-9/5/1897--D. 3/9/1911 Buried Fairview Cemetery.
e. Goldie Barkman B-8/10/1901 Marries 9/2/1932 to Theodore Photopoulos. No issue.

D. Mary Belle Barekman B-2/20/1863 D. 2/5/1925. Marries Albert Sloo Leech- 11/24/1892. He was B. 11/27/1859 and D. 6/18/1951. Children of Mary B. Barekman and Albert S. Leech are:

a. Albert William Leech-B. 9/25/1894- D. 7/31/1950. He marries 5/26/1934 to Harriet Grimes who was B. 11/19/1894. She D. 2/2/1942.
b. Raymond Ernest Leech B- 11/24/1897. He marries Cyrilla Kunkel on 10/16/1928, who was B. 11/11/-1902.
c. Agnes Lillian Leech B- 1/24/1901 . Marries 6/7/1930 to Samuel A. La Coste, who was B. 8/28/1898.

Children of above and their children---

Child of (a) as above
Albert W. Leech and Harriet Grimes had one daughter, Molly Ann-B. 7/7/1935. William Allen was her husband who she married in May 1955. Their children are William Michael- B. 5/22/56-- Douglas Stephen- B. 4/22/1958---- Robert Jeffrey- B. 3/30/1959.

Child of (b) as above (children)
Children of Raymond Leech and Cyrilla Kunkel are George Phillip, B. 2/13/1938--Rae Carolyn, B. 7/29/1935. Married Jerry Lee Goodwin on 6/25/1955. They have one son,

David Allen -B- 11/2/1959.

Child of (b)
Agnes Leech and Samuel La Coste had one (1) son,
Mitchell Albert born 7/28/1943 and D. 8/7/1943.

VIII. John K. Barkman is the 8th. child of John and Jane Hannah Barkman. Marries 7/6/1857 to Sarah A. Soden of Palmyra Township, Knox County in Indiana. Sarah B. 1829. John D. 7/24/1896. Sarah D. 8/2/1907. John and Sarah are buried at Indiana, Presbyterian Church. Living with John K. and Sarah in 1860 is the following child--two months old Albert who may have been their child. In 1880, living with John K. and Sarah are Charles West Fall, 12 years old and one year old Lucy Robinson. In Sarah's will no mention is made of these three children. The will is dated 1905. Following is the will of Sarah.

I, Sarah A. Barekman of Knox County, Indiana, to make and declare this instrument to be my Last Will and Testament hereby revoking any and all former wills by me heretofore made.

First:- It is my will and device that all of my Just debts including the expenses of my last illness together with my funeral expenses by first paid.

Second:- I hereby bequeath to Ida Kensler the sum of Forty Dollars $40.00

Third:- I hereby bequeath to George Kennedy the sum of Ten Dollars $10.00

Forth:- I hereby bequeath to my Sister Jane Soden the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00).

Fifth:- I hereby bequeath to my Sister Hannah Pea the sum of fifty dollars ($50.00).

Sixth:- I hereby bequeath to Edna Pea the sum of ($50.00) Fifty Dollars.

Seventh:- I hereby bequeath to Jennie Kennedy the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00).

Eight:- It is my will that if any of estate is left after the above mentioned sums have been paid the within named persons it shall all go to my sister Jane Soden if she is still living. If she is not living it is my will that it shall go to Jennie Kennedy.

Ninth:- Provided further that if after all of my expenses made by sickness and funeral expenses that should not remain enough to pay the several sums to all of the within names persons in full it is my will that a proportionate amount shall be deducted from each of the within names sums.

Tenth:- I hereby bequeath to Edna Kennedy my wardrobe.

Eleventh:-I hereby bequeath to my sister Jane Soden during her life time all of my bed clothing and bed after her death to go to Myrtle Kennedy.

I hereby nominate and appoint Abe. J. Westfall, Executor of this my Last Will and Testament.

In tesimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this 29th day of November, A. D. 1907. Sarah A. Barekman

Signed, Sealed Published and declared by said testtrix.

Sarah A. Barekman, as and for her Last Will and Testament in the presence of and who at her request in her presence and the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses this 29th day of November A. D. 1907.

Signed) Abe. J. Westfall (SEAL)

Witnesses) Oscar Thompson (SEAL)

Sarah A. Soden was the wife of John K. Barekman

I need research on John L. He was a successful business man. He had a Lumber Yard and Supplied the surrounding country stock with hardware. He supplied William H. Barkman with wood for his coffins and lumber for the Harmon Church Building.

IX. Thomas C. Barkman B-6/8/1826, Knox County Indiana. Thomas C. is the ninth child of John and Jane Hannah Barkman. Thomas married Julia Rachael Kirk on 6/20/1850 Knox County Indiana. Jane was born in 1829. Thomas C. Barkman died 1/7/1859. Jane D-1/14/1871. They are buried in Indiana Presbyterian Church Yard (Lower). Their graves are marked with headstones. Janes father, William Kirk was born in Virginia, in west is now West Virginia. His wife Sarah Smith was also born in Virginia. Dates of birth are unknown. There is no record of their arrival in Vincennes. There were ten children born to William and Sarah Smith Kirk.

1. John Kirk.
2. Moses Kirk. Married Nancy Beddell.
3. Aaron Kirk Married Margaret Johnson.
4. William Kirk Married Julia Barkman a daughter of Henry Barkman (Barrackman). They had the following children. 1- Pandora - married William Sears.—2. Lida married _____ Jundins.—3- Martha married Icie Beckes.—4- Jane never married.—5-William Jr., married Maggie Summit.—6-Elisabeth married John Lane. Elizabeth (Pet) Kirk Lane is over 95 years old, and is still very mentally alert, and full of tales of old Vincennes.
5. Issac Kirk married _____ Mails
6. Hiram Kirk
7. Micheal Kirk married Sarah Reel
8. George Kirk married Delila Sampson
9. Julia Kirk married William Huffman. Following are their children. 1- William, 2—George, 3—Tom, 4—Jenny married to Wm Beckes. 5—Nancy married Wm P. Scott. 6—Julia married _____ Duffit. 7—Millard, 8—Florence married Henry Smith Meyer. This family group is of great interest due to William Huffman life in Vincennes Indiana.
10. Jane (Racheal) Kirk, married to Thomas C. Barkman. (note this large Kirk family will be a part of "Indiana Kin Folk"-to be compiled by June B. Barekman).

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

THE UNDERSIGNES HAS BEEN APPOINTED Administrator de bonis non of the estate of Thomas C. Barkman, late of Knox County, Indiana, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement, and all person owing said estate will please make immediate payment, The estate is supposed to be solvent.

Feb 13 1869
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A. B. McKee
Administrator, de bonis non

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

THE STATE OF INDIANA, KNOX CO., ss:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ARchibald B. McKee, administrator de bonis

ann as the estate of Thomas C. Barkman, deceased, has filed his petition to sell the real estate of the decedent, his personal being insufficient to pay his debts; and that said petition will be heard at the next term of the Court of Common Pleas of said county.

July 24 1869
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AQUILLA F. WESTFALL, Clerk
C. C. P. on Knox County.

A true and perfect Sale Bill of the personal Estate of Thomas C. Barkman as made by John K. Barkman administration of said estate at the late residence of said deceased in Knox County Indiana on Saturday the 19 day of February 1869 on a credit of 12 months on all sums over three dollar by the purchaser given his note with surrowed security with intrese from date warrant valuation and appraisement Less than dollars and under cash in hand and as kept by Aquilla F. Westfall chosen as clerk of said sale.

purchasers names	Articles sold with amount in $		
Wm M. Pea	one Bureau	13	00
W M. Pea	one picture in frame	1	00
J. M. Milana	One small Stand	1	85
John K. Barkman	1 pair Black Smith tongs		85
W. M. Pea	2 stove pans and 2 stove pots		50
George H. Westfall	4 old chairs		15
George H. Westfall	wash stand 2 Barels 2 draws		10
W, M. Barkman	Molasses jug tar bucket		15
J. H. Westfall	1 meal sack		30
J. H. Westfall	old stove, Hand Iron		10
W. M. Barkman	old Barels Sadils on bed		75
Fred Ayers	one chopan axe paid		65
Arlon Hughs	1 half bushal		30
W. M. Pea	Whit stone and hamer and nail		35
J. K. Barkman	3 stoon Bones		50
Henry Gravel	1 Lott Mele grous	5	85
W. M. Barkman	Black Smith anvill		10
Henry Gravel	1 Lot of old Irons	4	00
Henry Gravel	1 Lot Screw Bolts	1	70
John Barkman	1 Lot Screw Bolts	1	50
Henry Gravel	1 mill spindle, Driver	5	00
Henry Gravel	1 sunkal, Shaft	1	75
John K. Barkman	1½ Iron tooth travrous	1	65
Henry Wis	1 pair mill stone 13	50	00
James Campbell	1 pair mill stone L hdl	6	00
John Barkman Egan	1 ox yoke		50
Henry Gravel	1 pair 2 horse	1	20
J. P. Conley	1 Lot of old cutlerys		20
W. M. Pea	1 Set Waggon hawes	10	30
John Westfall	1——— Stone	1	40
John Westfall	3 Augurs		30
John K. Barkman	1 hand axe		60
		$110	35

Amount Carried
Amount brought up $110 35

John Barkman	1 Drawing Knife	1	[illegible]
John Barkman	3 Chisels	1	[illegible]
P. K. Conevin	3 planes	2	11
W. M. Pea	2 Squares, compass		1
R. F. Kenney	1 shoop shovel		[illegible]
W. M. Miller	1 shovel		[illegible]
P. K. Conevin	2 pitch forks		[illegible]
Moses Rue	1 Large Rope	1	[illegible]
David Neeld	1 2 horse plow	1	[illegible]
John Barkman	1 1 horse plow	1	[illegible]
W. M. Pea	1 Set Buggy harness	1	[illegible]
John K. Barkman	1 Sythe, cradle	2	[illegible]
Henry Grewal	1 Lot of F	17	[illegible]
Nicholas Conjane	1 Lot of Stretchery	[illegible]	[illegible]
Same	1 Lot of Short Jaice	2	[illegible]
John Hutchen	1 Lot scantling		[illegible]
James Rhodewal	1 Lot of Plank		17
Alick Halter	1 Lot of plank	1	[illegible]
John M. Cook	1 Saw carage	1	10
Moses Rue	1 Lot of old _____?		[illegible]
John Hutchen	Runing gears of grust mill	20	[illegible]
Hendrick Crages	frame of grust mill	7	[illegible]
Aaron Rell	frame of saw mill	27	[illegible]
Aaron Rell	frame of stable	30	[illegible]
Moses Rue	1 crow barr		50
W. M. Milan	1 Lot of clabboards	1	[illegible]
I. M. Cook	1 Lot of elevatons		[illegible]
W. M. Milan	4 Doors	1	[illegible]
W. M. Pea	1 horse buggy	[illegible]	[illegible]
Isaac Bigs	2Bridles	1	[illegible]
Micheal Kirk	1 Sorel Horse	[illegible]	[illegible]
David Rell	1 2 horse Waggon	[illegible]	[illegible]
W. M. Milan	1 hay Rack	2	[illegible]
John Barkman	1 Stey		[illegible]
Aaron Rue	1 Brier Sythe		[illegible]
W. M. Milvin	1 Log chain	1	[illegible]
	Amount carried up [illegible]		

Hamilton Barkman	1 Long Spotted cow	[illegible]	[illegible]
George Hyant	bald face cow	13	[illegible]
James Campbell	red cow crumply horn	13	[illegible]
George Hyant	spotted Bull	1	[illegible]
Patrick Donivan	1 Brundle bull	5	[illegible]
George Kirk	1 Ball face bull calf paid	5	00
Garley Carter	18 geese	4	[illegible]
W. M. Milan	hand Gee	1	[illegible]
John K. Barkman	1 ½ of shingle ?	25	00
James Kirk	2000 Shingles	4	00
William Pea	2000 Shingles	4	00
James Kirk	2000 Shingles	4	00
W. M. Pea	2000 Shingles	4	00
W. M. Pea	2000 Shingles	4	00
Wm Pea	2500 Shingles	5	25
John K. Barkman	1 Lot Shingles Blocks	5	00
Wm. Barkman	1 Lot Lumber		50

Henry Sheire	1 Mill Saw	[illegible]
L. F. Cott	Cross Cut Saw paid	[illegible]
Henry Gravel	2 Bench	[illegible]
J. K. Barkman	1 Lot stackclover seed	[illegible]
John Barkman	2 gunsels	[illegible]

Total amount of sal e bill [illegible]

Given under my hand this 19 of February 1859 [illegible]
Clerk
William Deery

Appraisers
George Westfall
William Fox

Jane Kirk and Thomas C. Barkman had three children, All born in Knox County, Indiana.

A. Lambert Thomas Barkman B-8/29/1852. Lambert married Alice Belle Hess on 12/27/1881. Alice was born in Salem Indiana, Washington County, 11/14/1859. Lambert died 1/21/1927. Alice died 1/23/1934. Both are buried in Fairview Cemetery, [illegible], Indiana.

At this point it is my desire to bring in the early ancestry of Alice Belle Hess. I shall trace her fathers family first. Then her mothers line of Kin, the Cokers of North Carolina.

The earliest known kin in the Hess family was Apollos Hess. In 1800 Apollos Hess lived in Floyd County, New Albany Twp., Indiana. Apollos was born about 1775. We do not know his wife name. They had 3 boys-under 10. 1 girl under 10. 1 boy about 16s and three daughters about 16 to 26. Apollos was ran a Slaughter House.

On December 4, 1817, Apollos Hess made deed to land along with Robert H. Grayson from Marston G. Clark Land. SE¼-Sec. 11. 1-South 3 East. This was in Salem, Washington County, Indiana.

On March 2, 1819 in Floyd County, Indiana, we have deed Apollos Hess and Co from Thomas H. Letcher. Lots 1-2-3-4-5-and 6. The first range of out lots and 8½ acres are slaughter house. April 15, 1820 Apollos Hess and Tolay from Sheriff Hesse Lot 26 on upper First Street.

In the History of Ohio Falls Counties Vol. 2, P. 211. "On First Grand Jury of Floyd County, Indiana, was Apollos Hess." "This is our last mention of Apollos Hess.

A. William Hess, son of Apollos Hess was born about 1800 in either Floyd or Clark County, Indiana. William Hess married Maria Chrisman on March 18, 1824, in Clark County. They were married by Rev. N. J. Shanks.

Maria Chrisman, born in Pennsylvania, was the daughter of John Chrisman of Charles Town Twp., Clark County, Indiana. The Chrisman were a large family. John Chrisman was born about 1775-as was his wife. They had 10 children as shown by the 1820 census.

Maria Chrisman Hess and William Hess had 6 children. Ann- John- Mary Jane-Sophia-Elvira and George B. Hess.

a. Elvira Hess was B. Ca. 1830. Elvira was known as Ellen. Ellen Hess married Dr. _____ Martin. They lived in Monroe City Indiana. The Martins had 5 children. Five sons, William and Dr. Ashley Martin. One daughter Stella, married Joe Barnett. They had a daughter Bennie Barnett. After the death of Joe Barnett, Stella Martin Barnett married Peter Rarita. It is believed they had children. Ann Martin the second daughter of Dr. Martin, and Ellen Hess Martin, married Charles Snyder and they had four children. Merritt and Dwight lived around Monroe City Indiana. Daughter Nellie Snyder married Joe Chamberlin of Vincennes Indiana. The last child was Helen Snyder. This is all we know of the kin of Ellen Hess Martin, sister to George B. Hess.

b. Ann Hess B- Ca. -1832. Ann married George H. Beck, Oct. 1, 1846, Clark County Indiana. The 1850 census shows two children 1-Charles age 3. 2-Laura Beck age 1. This family lived in New Albany Indiana. This all we know of the Becks.

c. John R. Hess B- Ca. 1849 Clark County Indiana. In 1850 listed in the census was an infant child. John Hess served in the Civil War from Indiana. He served with the 23rd. Reg. Co. A. This is all we know of John R. Hess.

d. Mary J. Hess B. Ca.-1831. Mary J. Hess married Thomas Batton on July 29, 1851 in Clark County, Indiana. I need information here !.

e. Sophia Hess (age unknown) married Valentine Shaver on March 28, 1854. This is all we have on Sophia.

f. George B. Hess born Sept. 24, 1826 in Clark County, Indiana. George had 4 wives. Before we go into his marriages I will list the deeds of the William Hess family and John Chrisman family.

1. William Hess from John Chrisman and wife lots 14-15-16 in Charleston Twp. Clark County, Indiana Aug. 27, 1832.
2. William Hess from J. S. Simonson and wife lot 13 in Charleston Twp. Clark County, Indiana Oct. 17, 1835.
3. Maria Hess-widow of William Hess sells part of lot 13 to J. W. Stewart. (This is William Hess's sister, Elvira husband) Feb. 16, 1849.
4. John Hess et al sells part of lot 13 in Charleston Twp. Clark County Indiana. John and George and their sisters sell their interest in land.

Evidently the John Chrisman family had a large amount of land which they sell from 1825 until 1848. The only other land sold by Chrisman's in Clark County, Indiana, was by Jeremiah Chrisman-oldest son of John Chrisman.

The Chrisman marriages that took place in Clark County, Indiana are those of the two Chrisman families who had settled there by 1820.

1. William Chrisman to Catherine Alpha — Jan. 20, 1820
2. Maria Chrisman to William Hess — March 18, 1824
3. George Chrisman to Sarah Scott — Dec. 1, 1824

4. Jeremiah Chrisman to Nancy Riley Oct. 27, 1811
5. Benjamin Chrisman to Eliza Riley July 3, 1834
6. David Chrisman to Elizabeth Robertson May 11, 1837
7. John Chrisman to Harriet Dustin Dec. 8, 1838

I would appreciate knowledge of this Chrisman family that came from Pennsylvania.

Jeremiah Chrisman married to Nancy Riley had the following children in 1850, John 18- Margaret 15- Eliza 13- Benjamin 10- Mary 8- Catherine 7- William 5- James C. 2- and Martha his twin age 2.

f. The son of Maria Chrisman Hess and William Hess, George Hess, was born September 24, 1826 in Clark County, Indiana. George B. Hess was married first to Martha J. Coker. Martha was born September 10,1836 in Salem Indiana Washington County, George and Martha were married Feb. 10, 1853 in Washington County, Indiana.

Martha J. Coker was the daughter of Marmaduke George Coker, born May 14, 1811 in Rowan County, North Carolina, and Jane W. Daily, born 1810 in North Carolina. They married in N. C. Nov. 1st. 1832.

FAMILY HISTORY
COKER

Marmaduke George Coker lived until May of 1909. Jane W. Daily Coker died in 1862. Buried Bunker Hill Cemetery Indiana. Marmaduke married again. Following is a list of children born to Jane and Marmaduke George Coker. (Also on page 20 is a map concerning Marmaduke George Coker).

1. Thomas C. Coker B_____ 1833. Thomas married Mahala Howell 12/18/1856.
2. Martha J. Coker born Sept. 10/1836. Married George B. Hess Feb. 10/1853.
3. Issac W. Coker. Born 1840. Issac was in Co., C., 66th, infantry, died June 29, 1861.
4. Sarah A. Coker Born 1841. No further knowledge.
5. Mary Coker Born 1844. No further knowledge.
6. William E. Coker Born 1847. Following is his service record. No other information on him.

   Coker, William, Musician, Co., B., 66th, Regt. Enrolled, Aug. 2, 1862, at Salem, Indiana. Mustered, Aug. 19, 1862, at New Albany. Age; 23, Eyes; Blue, Hair; Dark, Height; 6 feet Complexion; Light, Nativity; Washington County, Indiana, Occupation; Teacher. Discharged at New Albany, Indiana, Oct. 16, 1862.
7. Lydia R. Coker Born 1850 married to Robert Hughes on Dec. 31, 1883.

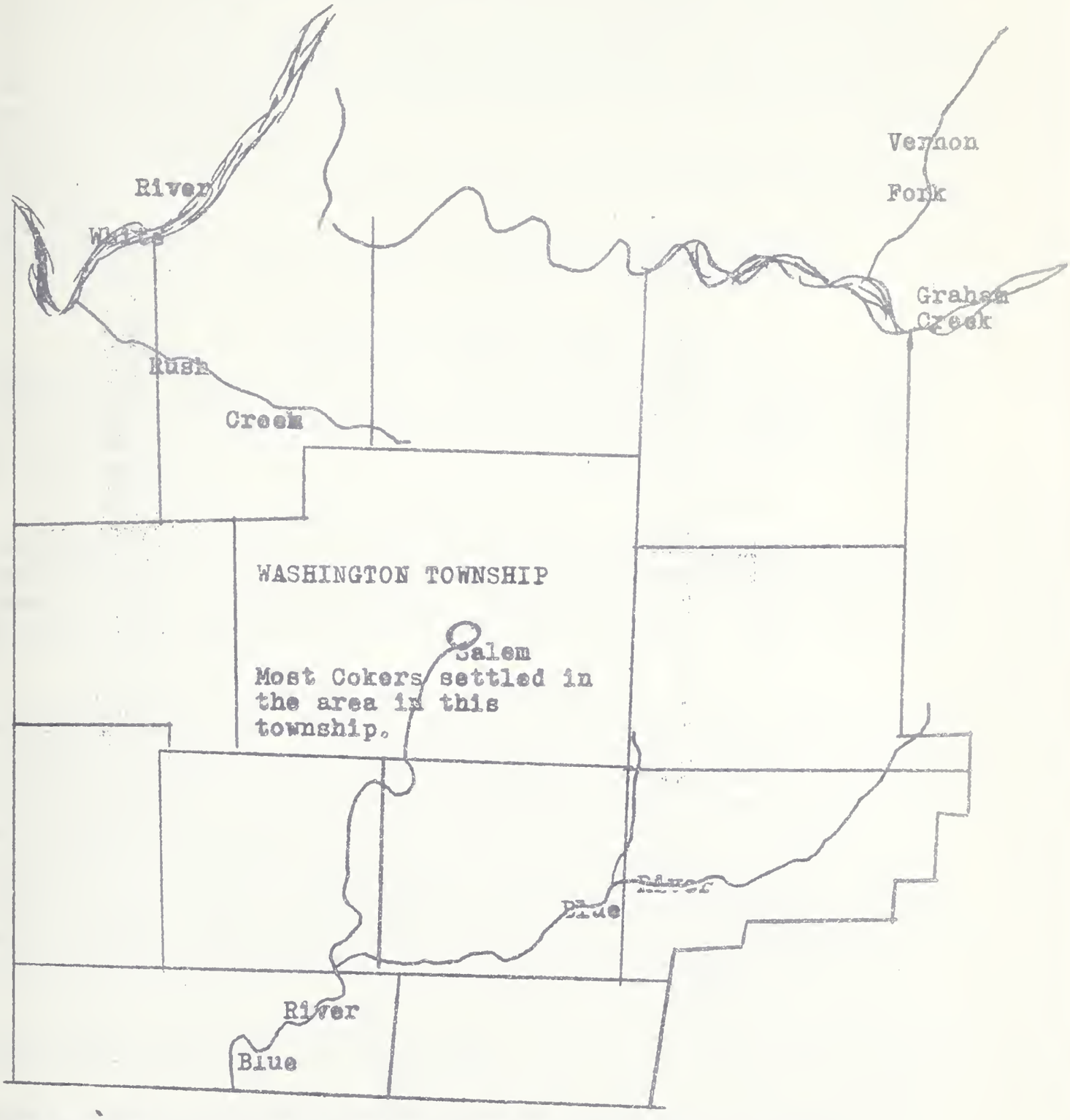
Following are articles on Marmaduke George Coker-Cemetery inscriptions on family of Marmaduke and first wife Jane Daily Coker and their children, and articles relating to oldest son Thomas Coker.

Biography of MARMADUKE GEORGE COKER From Salem Democrat, Aug. 30, 1905

Old Settlers Meeting, August 26, 1905

Marmaduke G. Coker, aged 94, was the oldest person present.

WASHINGTON COUNTY, INDIANA



George Coker and his family moved to Washington County, Indiana from Rowan County, North Carolina. They arrived in the year of 1835.

Mahala George Coker was born in Owen County, [illegible] on the 1811. Lived at that place until 21 years of age. [illegible] "The people were like [illegible] and [illegible] all [illegible] and [illegible]." My education was limited. Farming was my main occupation. I worked [illegible].

At the age of 18 I joined the Regular Baptist Church. I became married to Jane W. Daily at the age of 22, and three years later we journeyed over land in a one horse wagon, to Washington County, Indiana, where we lived until my wife died. Of that marriage eight children were born, of whom all are dead except the oldest and the youngest.

I farmed all the time until about the year of 1899. Besides this my son Thomas and I kept the store, post office and railroad station at Carrie-town for 5 years.

In the year 1866 I was again wedded to Sarah A. Carnes with whom I have lived happily ever since. To this union 5 children were born, all living.

CEMETERY INSCRIPTIONS,
Washington County, Indiana

Bunker Hill Cemetery, Franklin Tp., Section 31-2N-6East. Jane W. Coker, wife of M. G. d. 1862, age 54 years. Three children of M. G. and J. W. Coker-inscriptions not copied. William C., son of M. G. & J. W. Coker, d. 1864, age 17-Civil War Soldier. Isaac W., son of M. G. & J. W. Coker, d. age-21-Civil War Soldier.

OLD TIME FIDDLING

Dr. Thomas Coker, known to nearly every man, woman and child in the county, entertained the audience with some of the old time fiddling, rendering such pieces as "Sugar in the Gourd, Old Dan Tucker, Hell on the Wabash" and others. The Doctor was repeatedly encored and responded smilingly. Thomas Coker was age 72 at this meeting.

I remember Thomas Coker, who is called Doctor in one of the notes, I am sending you. He peddled medicine all over the country. One of his medicines was the Coker Liniment, which he had made for him. He also played the violin, or fiddle as most people called it in those days. When he came to our home when I was a child-I am 70 now- my Grandfather who was a great lover of music would always get out our violin and have Tom play a number of tunes for us. He married Mahala Howell-Hala, they called her for short. She wore a very large bow tie, always stiffly starched, when she was dressed up for church or other occasions. They attended church at Bunker Hill, now a Christian Church, where I attended when I was a child. Several of their descenants live in this county yet, but I do not know any of the younger ones who are living now.

-Lulu Davis

Idella Coker M to Benjamin Calloway 9/7/1882 Book J. P. 54, 18 next birthday-
Father Thomas Coker Mother Mahala Howell

Issac N. Coker M to Samoutha J. Flegnor 12/23/1900 Book L. P. 510. age 42.
Father Thomas Mother Mahala

Father--Thomas Coker married Mahala Howell 12/18/1856. Book F. P. 425
Son Thomas Coker to Minnie Gray 1/22/1891 Book K. P. 261.

We will continue with the Coker family before returning to George B. Hess and wife Martha J. Coker.

Isaac Coker, a Baptist minister, lived in Scott County, Indiana with his family. Isaac is a brother to Marmaduke George Coker.

The father of Marmaduke-Isaac and James Coker was Charles Coker. Following are the marriages of his three sons. The first two took place in Rowan County, North Carolina.

Isaac Coker	Jane Furches	1 Aug. 1811 Benjamin Lucas (?) J. Tomlinson, J/P.

Coker, M(armaduke)	G. Jane W. Daily	1 Nov. 1832 Benjamin Eaton (w)J. Tomlinson, J. P.
James Coker	Sarah Stout	17 May 1835 Washington County Ind.

Only Marmaduke and Issac and James seemed to have moved across county to Kentucky and Indiana.

After Marmaduke G. Coker and Jane his wife settled in Washington County, Indiana, they had the following land transactions.

LAND TRANSACTIONS,
WASHINGTON COUNTY, INDIANA.

Marmaduke G. Coker from Henry W. Snyder and wife Letily-NWNE-Section 31- Tp. 2N.-R.6 East, except a parcel of land sold to Charles Daily, North of the Charlestown Road. August 31, 1814.

Marmaduke Coker from Edmund Daily and wife Malinda-NESW-Sec. 30-2N-6E and SESW-Sec. 30-2N-6E. Failed to copy date on this one.

Above land was in Franklin Township, Washington, County, Indiana.

Marmaduke Coker was given to me as an early teacher in an old school in Polk Township (Lulis Davis- Researcher)

Marmaduke George Coker married his second wife Sarah Pepsinger, April 3rd 1866.

OBITUARY
SARAH COKER

Since the Garden, this has been a world of alterations of sunshine and shadow: of pleasure and pain; of hope and fear. This mingled experience will continue on the earth until the Judge of all shall roll back the tides of life's tempestous sea unto a great and eternal calm.

Into such a world Sarah Coker was born, August 20, 1839, in Washington County, Indiana. She was the daughter of Luke and Elizabeth Persinger.

She was united in marriage December 29th, 1858 to Eli Caress, who died in the Ciivl War. To this union two daughters were born, Mrs. Dora Hamilton, Kansas and Mrs. Rachel Barnett, deceased.

She was again married to Marmaduke Coker, April 3rd, 1866. Five children were born to this union, George, Benjamin, Mary, Thena and Charles Ervin.

Mr. and Mrs. Coker and son Ervin moved to Canton thirty-eight years ago. Mr. Coker passed away in May 1909 at the age of 98 years and 27 days.

Grandma Coker, as she was lovingly called by friends and neighbors, spent her entire life in Indiana, receiving her education in the schools of Washington County. She was a literary turn of mind and enjoyed reading her Bible, Church papers and newspapers.

Early in life she was converted and joined the Methodist church, retaining her membership until her death and was ever faithful in the financial support and attendance until failing health prevented. In her early life she was a singer, possessing a beautiful soprano voice. During her declining years, she would sit at her sunny window and sing the songs of child and womanhood, and just last Thursday sang several of her favorite songs.

All her life she was very industrious and spun and wove cloth from which she made wearing apparel and bed clothes. She was a seamstress and tailoress and

also quilted during her first widowhood. Her sewing and quilting were works of art, and until less than a year ago had pieced quilts constantly, giving these to her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Upon the death of Florence Coker, mother of Deltha Coker Bosley, Mr. and Mrs. Coker took Deltha, then only five and one-half years old, into their home where she was tenderly cared for. Grandma Coker bestowed upon her the love and care of both mother and grandmother.

Several years ago she sold her home and went to live in the home of Deltha and Farrell Bosley, who have tenderly cared for her during her declining years with all the patience and devotion of a son and daughter. Grandma had expressed her appreciation to friends and neighbors for many years, saying that no son or daughter could give more loving care than did Deltha and Farrell. One neighbor said at her passing. "The grandmother took care of the little girl and in later years the little girl took care of the grandmother".

Having lived almost a century she has seen numerous and varied inventions, has seen conveyances from the ox cart to the airplane and has seen her nation grow from a few million to a vast population.

Grandma was ill only a few days and those who nursed her felt no alarm until a few hours before the end. As quietly and peacefully as she had lived. She slipped away Saturday morning, September 17. She leaves to mourn her departure six children, Mrs. Dora Hamilton, Partridge, Kansas, George, Scottsburg, Benjamin, Plattsburg, Indiana, Mrs. Mary Mahaffey and Mrs. Thena Mahaffey, Morning Sun, Iowa, and Charles Ervin, McIntosh, Florida; One sister, Mrs. Eliza Matilda Coffey, aged 95 years, near Salem, Indiana, her granddaughter, Deltha Bosley, with whom she made her home, thirty-four grandchildren, sixty-one great grandchildren, many nieces and nephews and a host of friends who mourn her departure.

Sha d. 9/17/1938.

TO MOTHER

Since at last her struggles have
ended,
and the burdens of life she's laid
down
The Maker of earth and of heaven
Will present her that day with a
crown.
A crown-how truly she's earned it
By sacrifice, service and love-
Bejeweled with gems all so prec-
ious,
God needs them in glory above.

Her joy up there finds fruition;
Earth's troubles forever have flown
The peace of her soul is fruiton
Of seed she so humbly had sown.

In Glory she's longing to reach you
To help you your burdens to bear;
She's pleading the cause of her lov-
ed ones,
That the fullness of bliss you may
share.

Then why not be true to the truest
That earth-love has ever expressed,

That the heart of the woman who
bore you
May forever and ever be black?

(Deltha Coker Beasley-granddaughter of Marmaduke and Sarah Coker)

OBITUARY George E. Coker, son of Marmaduke and Sarah Coker, was born 2/16/1867-d. at Scottsburg, Ind. 11/26/1940. Married (1) Dec. 11, 1890, Florence Dennsy who died in 1905. 7 children were born to them, 4 of them deceased. Married (2) Jan. 31, 1926, Ida Peelor, who survives.
(names children&brothers & sisters surviving-these not copied.)

OBITUARY Mrs. Florence Coker died at Plattsburg last Monday to tuberculosis. Burial Kossuth Cemeter. Salem Democrat, 3/21/1906.
(Deltha Mother and Father)

Mrs. Deltha (Coker) Beasley, mentioned in the obituary of Sarah Coker is a retired school teacher and lives at Bordes Indiana.

George E. Coker married Florence (Mary?) Dennsy 12/5/1889. Book K. P. 83

George B-2/16/1869 ?. Marries Maggie Johnson 6/6/1911.Book M. P. 492. Son of Maud Sarah- He was 23 next birthday according to record-incorrect.

OBITUARY
Mrs. Benj. F. Coker
(1st wife of Benj. Coker)

Cora Dean, daughter of Jacob and Serilda Bowers was born October 31, 1870 in Washington County and passed away March 11, 1939 age 68 years 4 months and 11 days.

She was the youngest of six children. She lived her entire life in Washington County. She went to the home school in Jefferson Township.

She was of friendly nature and made many friends whom she remembered until the end. She loved children and had a host of them which loved her as if they were her own.

She joined the M. E. Church and lived a christian life until the last.

On December 16, 1891 she was married to Benjamin F. Coker. To this union were born five children, Charley, Frank and Blanche, wife of Ray Owens. A son Ray Coker passed away November 2, 1926, and a daughter, Ada Spence, died February 11, 1929.

She was a true wife and a loving mother and will be missed by her relatives and many friends who are left.

Although she had been an invalid for several years she bore her suffering with patience and did the work she could until the day before she died. She was a good neighbor and always ready to share anything she had. For forty eight years she helped to make a home and rear a family. All was done to make her comfortable that could be done under the circumstances.

She is survived by her husband and three children, six grandchildren and many relatives and friends.

MOTHER

Of all the words than pen could
write
Or words that tongue can utter,

Of all the words in this great world
The dearest one is Mother.
How precious is a mother's love
A mother's tender care
She is a blessing here on earth
With her none can compare.

She is the one who shares with us
Our troubles and our woes
When no one else can understand
She is the one who knows.

She'll stay by us until the end
When there is none other
Of all the people here below
There is no friend like Mother.
Funeral rites were held at two o'clock
Monday March 13 at Platte-burg, M. E.
Church by the Rev. Eaton Martin with
burial at the Winslow cemetery.

OBITUARY (2nd wife of Benj. F. Coker) - Ida Coker, daughter of Simson & Syndra (Barnett) Crider, was born 2/13/1870, Washington County, Indiana. Died 3/20/194[illegible]. Married Jan. 22, 1944. B. F. Coker who survieves. Also 2 step-children. Charles Coker and Mrs. Roy Owens survive.

Blanche Coker married Ray Owens 12/16/1920 Book Q P. 281.
Benj. F. Coker B- 1868- D-1956 (Benj. is the son of Sarah and Mamedulu Coker)

OBITURARY Frank Ray, Son of Benjamin & Cora (Bowers) Coker, B. 12/4/1908, near Salem. Died 3/14/1942, Schoeck Mem, Hospital, Seymour, Ind.. Married Lillian Edith Lloyd who d. 1939- (names survivors-children, father, grand father, and others-names not copied.)

OBITUARY Mrs. Frank Coker. Lillian Edith Loyd was born September 8, 1910. She departed this life August 27, 1939, at the age of 28 years, 11 months and 19 days.

On May 10, 1930, she was united in marriage to Frank Ray Coker. To this union three children were born: Melvin Ray, Robert Glen and Lena Bethel.

She was a loving mother, kind helpful wife, always willing to do her part whatever the task might be. She will be sadly missed in this home by the husband and children.

She leaves besides the husband and children the mother, Mrs. Charles Coker the stepfather, Charles Coker; two uncles, Delbert and Edward Loyd, of Washington County; one aunt, Belle Lloyd, of Jackson County, and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her departure.

Funeral services were held atthe Mt. Tabor Church August 29 at 2 P. M., conducted by Lee W. Prather, after which the body was laid to rest in the cemetery nearby.

OBITUARY
Roy Owens

You have gone out and shut the door,
The final door between us,

Dad you loaded you have
There is, perhaps unseen,
So much of you, so many things
That when you stood there
We would never pause to know, but
now
We find your laugh, your sighs
We find your dreams, your thoughts,
yourself
Left here, secure with us.
Your flesh is gone, but still we hold
All that you were to us.

Roy Owens, son of Olmstead and Sarah Owens, was born Feb. 19, 1892, in Salem, Indiana. Much of his life was spent in Washington County. He passed away suddenly Thursday, April 28, 1960.

He was married to Blanche Coker in 1920. To this union four children were born. A daughter Sarah Dean preceded him in death. He was a member of the Salem Christian Church, the American Legion, the Veterans of World War One. He was a quiet unassuming man who will always be remembered for his kindness to his family and to all who knew him. Dec 5-18-1960.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Helen Martin and Mrs. Bonnie Luse; a son Mr. Chester Owens, a foster daughter Mrs. Beth McCloud; one half sister Mrs. Nell Hardin, Salem and half-brother, Mr. Frank Simpson, San Antonio, Texas. Seven grandchildren and two foster grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 P. M. Sunday, May 1, 1960 at First Christian Church with the Rev. Earl Davis officiating and the H allis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Burial in Winslow Cemetery.

Marmaduke George Coker, Born May 4, 1811 N. Carolina, Death May 27, 1909, Place Salem, Ind. R. #2. Age 98. Canton Cemetery, Washington Twp. 4½ miles of Salem . 2nd. wife Sarah Caress. She was born Aug. 20, 1839, Wash. County Indiana. Died Sept. 1938, Salem, Ind Rt 2 Canton , Canton Cemetery. Her father was Luke Persinger. Sarah first husband was Eli Caress. Marmaduke George have five children as follows;

1. George E. B-2/6/1867 Washington County Indiana. Died 1940. Married Florence Denny 12/5/1889 Book F. P. 83. George 2nd wife Maggie Johnson.
2. Benjamin F. B-1868 Washington County Indiana . Married Cora Bowers. Benjamin d-1956.
3. Parthenia Jane B-1873 Washington County Indiana. Married Wm Mehaffy.
4. Mary E. B-1878 Washington County Indiana. Married John Mehaffy 12/9/1[illegible]
5. Charles Ervin B- 5/8/1885 Washington County Indiana. Married Josie Collins 4/2/1908 , he was B-5/8/1885. D- 1956.

EARLY HISTORY OF CANTON
by Home economic class 1938

In the Canton Cemetery lies buried Marmaduke Coker, born 1811, died 1909, age 98.

His widow, aged 98 is still living at her residence in Canton. Pieces quilts, and sings the old time songs. (Sarah Caress)

Benjamin Coker born march 13, 1868, Washington Co. Indiana. Died April 3, 1956, Salem, Indiana, Winslow Cemetery Washington County . His father was Marmaduke Coker, Mother Sarah Ann Coker .

Benjamin and Cora Bowers were married Dec. 16, 1891. Cora was
b. Oct. 31, 1870, Washington County, Indiana. She died 1939.
Her father was Jacob Bowers Mother was Matilda Bowers. Cora is
buried in Winslow Cemetery , Washington County. Cora and Benj.
had 5 children:

1. Charley B- Dec. 18, 1892 Wash. Co. Ind. D- Nov. 8, 1959
2. Blanche B- Dec. 9, 1902 Wash. Co. Ind.
3. Oda B- June 5, 1904 Wash. Co. Ind D- Feb. 11, 1939
4. Frank B- Dec. 4, 1908 Wash. Co. Ind. D- March 1942
5. Roy B- Mar. 17,1911 Wash. Co. Ind. D- Nov. 2, 1926.

Roy Owens B- Feb. 19, 1892, Salem Indiana. Died April 28, 1960
Buried in Winslow Cemetery Wash. Co.. His father was Olmstead
Owens, Mother Sarah Mullins Owens. Married Dec. 16, 1920 to
Blanche Coker, Salem Indiana. Blanche was born Dec. 9, 1902,
Wash Co. Indiana. Her father is Benjamin Coker Mother Cora Bowers.
Roy and Blanche have the following children:

1. Helen B- Nov. 30,1921 Wash. Co. Indiana
2. Chester B- March 13, 1924 Wash. Co. Indiana
3. Bonnie B- June 16, 1925 Wash. Co. Indiana
4. Sarah Dean Oct. 27, 1926 Wash. Co. Indiana. Died Aug 5, 1927.

Borden, Indiana
Sept. 22, 1961

Dear Miss Barekman,

So sorry I am not able to help you. I am George Coker's daughter. My mother died when I was five years old and I went to live with my grandparents, when I was nine. My grandfather died at 98 years of age. I don't have many memories of him. He was 28 years older than my grandmother and she lived 28 years after he died. She lived in my home and died at 99 years.

The only child of his by his first wife that I knew was Thomas Coker. He was a "fiddler" and a traveling medicine peddler selling "Coker linement."

I know nothing of my grandfather's background. He had a brother Isaac Coker who was a Baptist Preacher. He has a great granddaughter who was interested in the genealogy of the Cokers. I think she is still living but last I heard her mind was bad. You might write her. Mrs. Florence Hubbard, Scottsburg, Indiana, and her daughter might answer. I do not know her daughter's name.

My uncle Charles Ervin Coker went to North Carolina and went to Cemeteries where Cokers were buried but didn't find out much otherwise. He has passed away now.

I have a picture of my grandparents probably taken in their early marriage days and I have their pictures when they were old. I think grandpa was a handsome man.

I am 61 years old, a retired school teacher, a widow, living alone. I do not have good health. I look the picture of health but have a pinched nerve condition that hurts continually.

I had a dilapidated old Bible stored away and when you wrote I looked it up. It had loose leaf pages in it. Telling of the births of all the children by both wives. I didn't even know I had that record.

I remember hearing my grandmother talk about the Hess's but I don't know a thing to help you with

Sincerely,
Daltha Bosley

Southbend, Ind.
Sept. 22, 1961

Dear Miss Hardman,

I am the daughter of Florence Bailey Hubbard who is now 90 and completely senile. I am so sorry that you did not contact her while she was mentally alert; she was so interested in family history and could have given you much information that you desired.

Mother did some research in the Coker history. She had it written down, but at the present I am unable to find it. As soon as I do, I will send it to you.

These things I do know: Isaac Coker was my great, grandfather. I know that he had a brother Marmaduke, but if there were other brothers, I do not remember them at present.

Isaac Coker was a preacher and school teacher. In mother's record, which I can't find, she had the dates of his birth, death and marriages.

I have a letter written by Isaac Coker's brother, which must have been Marmaduke. It was written in 1844. At that time the writer was living in Davey County N. C. However he made reference to Rowan County. The writer's father, whose name I do not know, died Aug. 23, 1844. He was apparently living with the writer and I assume was buried in Davey County, N. C. There is a reference to Father Clifford who seems to have been close to the family- I thought maybe Marmadukes father in law. Perhaps, there was another brother beside Isaac and Marmaduke.

The letter was not signed and is very difficult to read. At the time it was written, Isaac Coker lived in Calloway County, Ky. I do not know the date, but Isaac Coker moved to Scott County, Indiana before the close of the Civil War. His daughter, Virginia Carolina, married Perry Bailey, a Baptist Minister, just after the close of the war. Isaac Coker had three children-Nan-who married Pat Overman, Sarah-who married a Mr. Wallace late in life, Kat, who was blind and died in her early twenties, and Virginia Carolina- who married Perry Bailey. I know that Virginia's mother came from Virginia, but at present I do not know her name.

I remember many years ago that my mother went to Canton, Ind. to see a descendant of Marmaduke. She was old then, but she had a grand daughter who was a school teacher. Canton is a very small town and the postmaster there might be able to get you in touch with this person. I am sorry that I do not know her name. The Salem, Indiana newspaper might be a good place to put an ad asking for information. Salem is the county seat of Washington County, Ind.

Isaac Coker is buried at Bethel Cemetery, Scott County, Ind. The first time I have the time, I will run out there and get the dates from the tombstone.

On re reading the ancient letter, I find that the writer had three children at that time- Joseph Calvin, Sarah, and Wm Green. It also appears the writer's wife was Rebecca. So, I guess there was another brother to Isaac and Marmaduke. Why didn't he sign his name !

Wilma Fieldhouse

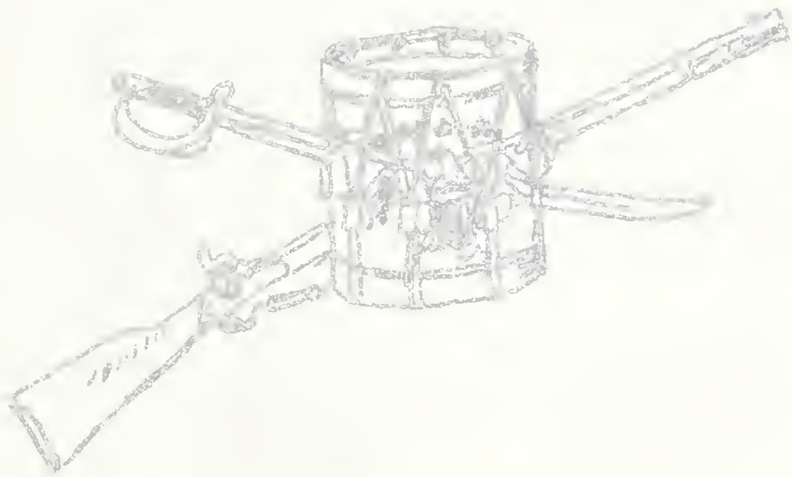
COKERS IN CIVIL WAR FROM INDIANA.

Section B-29

Color, James, Co. G, 11th Regt, 12th Cavalry
Enrolled, Nov. 10, 1863, at Columbus, Indiana
Mustered, Jan. 13, 1864, at Indianapolis, Indiana
Age: 28, Eyes: Blue, Hair: Brown, Height: 5 feet 6 inches
Complexion: Dark, Nativity: Jefferson County, Ky., Occupation: Farmer
Mustered out at Vicksburg, Miss., Nov. 18, 1865

Color, James, Recruit, Co. D, 6th Regt.
Enrolled, March 3, 1862, at Madison, Indiana
Mustered, March 3, 1862, at Columbus, Indiana
Age: 30, Eyes: Blue, Hair: Dark, Height: 5 feet 6 inches
Complexion: Light, Nativity: Indiana, Occupation: Farmer
Discharged, June 9, 1862, for Disability

Color, James, Lt., E, 139th Regt.
Enrolled, May 23, 1864, at Levay, Indiana
Mustered, June 6, 1864, at Indianapolis, Indiana
Age: 25
Mustered out at Indianapolis, Indiana, Oct. 6, 1864



f. Martha Jane Coker and George B. Hess were married by Rev. E. W. Cadrell Feb. 10, 1853 in Washington County, Indiana. Following are their 5 children. Martha died Dec. 21, 1862.

1. Mary Jane Hess B-11/14/1854
2. Edwin Thomas Hess B-5/16/1855
3. Vilea Sarah Hess B-6/7/1857
4. Alice Bell Hess B-11/14/1859
5. Wm Marmaduke Hess B-2/2/1862 Died 10/25/1877

f. George B. Hess married his 2nd wife Martha J. Robinson, March 31, 1864. They were married by Rev. Wesley Hartley. Martha J. Robinson Hess was Born Sept. 15, 1839 and died March 22, 1886. Following are their children.

1. Henry A Hess B-4/13/1865 Died
2. Walter Logan Hess B-9/8/1866
3. Annie E. Hess B-7/25/1868 Died 11/9/1897
4. Eliza Eleanor Hess B-9/12/1870
5. Mary Hess B-9/7/1872 Died 9/29/1872
6. John Hess B-8/19/1873 Died in Philipine Isle
7. James W. Hess B-1/26/1875 Died 6/22/1901
8. Jennie May Hess B-3/3/1879
9. George Effie Hess B-10/17/1882
10. Theadrea Elverna Hess B-3/3/1879- a Twin

f. George B. Hess married his 3rd wife on March 22, 1887. She was Mrs. Sarah D. Alemse nee Williams. They were married by Rev. Henry Bayout. Sarah was born July 31, 1843 and died Nov. 15, 1887.

f. George B. Hess married his fourth and last wife Sarah Jane Haley on May 31, 1889. They were married by John L. Hogue Esquire. J. P.. Following are their children. George B. Hess died on March 26, 1909. He is buried at Zion Luthern in Monroe City Indiana.

1. Christopher B. Hess B-1/25/1890 Died 2/24/1890
2. Howard C. Hess B-8/5/1891
3. Ruth Hess B- 12/1/1897
4. Eugene Hess B-7/7/1902

Following are the land transfers of George B. Hess and his Civil War Service

LAND TRANSFERS

George B. Hess and wife Martha J. Hess to James Hartley, both parties of Washington County, Ind. for $400. sell E½-N½-SW¼- Sec. 19, Tp. 2N-R, 6 East 40 acres, more or less-Nov. 5, 1858. Both sign names. p. 550, B., No. 2

George B. Hess from Marmaduke C. Coker and wife Jane W. Coker, both parties of Wash. Co., Ind. for $450. NE¼- SW¼-, Sec. 32- Tp. 2N.-R, 6 East- March 24, 1860. Book D., No., 2, pp 154-155.

George B. Hess and wife Martha J. Hess to Francis M. Sturdevant, both

parties of Wash. Co., Ind. for $500 - NE¼-SW¼, Sec. 30- 2N. 6 E. - August 2, 1871. Both signed their names. p. 100, N., No. 2.

George B. Hess Pvt. Co., C., 144 Regt. , served 1 year. Enrolled Feb. 3, 1865, at Chestnut Hill by G. W. Smith. Mustered Feb. 13, 1865, at JeffersonVille, Clark County By Merriwelther, age 38; Eyes Hazel- Hair Black- Height 5feet 8 Complextion Dark. Trom Washington County, Indiana, ovvupation Cooper. Mustard out Stevenson Va. Aug. 5-1865.Appointed Corp., May 29, 1865.

The only child of George B. Hess we will follow in the genealogy is that of Alice Belle Hess, his child with first wife Martha Jane Coker. We have noted Alice Hess married Lambert Barekman, and we will now continue with the children of Alice Hess and Lambert Barekman. First we will list the Will of Alice B. Barekman.

WILL OF ALICE B. BAREKMAN

I, Alice B. Barekman, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do hereby make and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills and testamentary papers heretofore made by me.

Item 1.

I direct that my Executrix hereinafter named shall as soon as consistent with the best interests of my estate pay and discharge all debts and obligations of my said estate.

Item 2.

I will devise and bequeath unto my husband Lambert T. Barekman, for and during his natural life all of the real estate of which I may die the owner or seized of at the time of my death.

Item 3.

I will, devise and bequeath unto my daughter Olga Barekman, the fee simple in and to all real estate of which I may die the owner of and seized, subject to the life estate devised unto my husband Lambert T. Barekman by Item 2 of this will.

Item 4.

I will and bequeath unto my children Lyle E. Barekman and Aileen M. Feagans, the sum of Five Dollars each.

Item 5.

All the balance and residue of my estate I will and bequeath in fee simple to my daughter Olga M. Barekman.

Item 6.

I designate and appoint my daughter Olga M. Barekman Executrix of this my last will and testament.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at the City of Vincennes, Knox County, Indiana, on this 29th day of September, 1922

ALICE B. BAREKMAN

Signed and acknowledged by the said Alice B. Barekman as her last will and testament in our presence and signed by us as witnesses, at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other, this 29th day of September, 1922

W. H. Hill
Josephine Duesterberg

A. Following are the children of Alice and Lambert Barekman

◎ Olga Marie Barekman is the first child of Lambert and Alice Belle Hess Barekman. Olga B.10/4/1902-10/31/1947. Married Ephrian Walter House of Oak Town, Indiana 1/14/31. Olga Marie Barekman's husband' Ephrian Walter House was born 2/26/1872 and he died 8/16/1952.

STATE OF INDIANA
KNOX COUNTY SS:

KNOX CIRCUIT COURT
NOVEMBER TERM, 1936

In the Matter of the Estate of
Alice B. Barekman,
Olga M. Barekman House, Executrix.

FINAL REPORT

Olga M. Barekman House, executrix of the last will and testament of Alice B. Barekman, would respectfully submit the following her account in final settlement of said estate:

Total receipts of personal property——————————————————————$ 90.00

Your executrix further shows to the court that the indebtedness of said estate was as follows:

Lemen & McClure, funeral expenses	$ 260.00
Dr. E. T. Edwards	48.00
Court costs	15.00
Publication of notices	6.00
Kessinger, Hill & Arterburn, attorneys fees	20.00
Total expenditures	$349.00

Your executrix further shows to the court that said indebtedness left a deficit of $259.50 and that said amount has been fully paid by this executrix as the sole devisee and legatee under said will, a copy of which will is attached hereto and made a part of this final report.

Your executrix shows to the court that more than one year has lapsed since letters of administration were granted upon this estate; that all the debts and liabilities of said estate have been paid, that by the terms and provisions of said will there was bequeathed unto Lyle E. Barekman $5.00 and to Aileen M. Feagans the sum of $5.00; and your executrix shows to the court that said Lyle E. Barekman died prior to the death of Alice B. Barekman, testatrix, and therefore the bequest to him lapsed.

Your executrix further shows the court that she has paid the bequest to Aileen M. Feagans in the sum of $5.00 and files herewith cancelled check showing payment of same.

That by the terms and provisions of said will the real estate belonging to said decedent was willed to this testatrix under the name of Olga M. Barekman; that she has, since the making of said will, intermarried with Walter House and that her name is now Olga M. Barekman House; that the said Lambert T. Barekman mentioned in Item 2 of said will, who was devised a life estate in the real estate owned by decedent at the time of her death, died prior to the death of said testatrix, and that therefore the said Olga M. Barekman House the residuary legatee of said estate, is now the owner in fee simple of said real estate; that the real estate owned by said decedent at the time of her death, being an undivided one-half interest of Lot 51 Government Subdivision in the City of Vincennes, Indiana, which was all the real estae owned by said decedent, and that this executrix was the owner of the other undivided one-half interest in said Lot, thus making Olga M.

Barekman House the owner of all of said real estate in fee simple.

Your executrix prays that this report may be approved and that she may be discharged from her said trust.

Olga M. Barekman House

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of December, 1936
My commission expires
November 26, 1938

Mabel Prasnell
Notary Public

b. Carl Kirk Barekman B-11/12/1884. Carl is the 2nd child of Lambert and Alice Barekman. Carl married Clara Mahan 1/13/1916. Clara died, Champaine, Illinois 1950. Carl died 11/19/1918/.

c. Lyle Ellsworth Barekman B-1/24/1887. Lyle is the 3rd. child of Lambert and Alice Barekman. Lyle Ellsworth was born in Vincennes, Indiana. Died 6/20/1929 in Chicago Illinois. Buried in Mount Olive Cemetery. Lyle Ellsworth Barekman married Anna Christina Sorensen B-1/12/1884 in Chicago Illinois.

Following is the lineage of Anna Christina Sorensen on her mothers side.

Anna Jensen B-1820 in Sweden D-1/24/1909 age 89. Buried Mount Olive Cemetery, Chicago, Illinois.

Anna Jensen met and married Gustafe Olsen in Norway, and came to America about 1866.

Gustafe Olsen was born in Norway 1/ / 1817. Gustafe Olsen D. May 2, 1907 at 90 years of age, and is buried next to his wife in Mount Olive Cemetery.

Anna Jensen Olsen and Gustafe Olsen had a daughter Anna Olsen born Jan. 9, 1850 in Bergen Norway. D- Nov. 29, 1938. Buried Mount Olive.

Anna Olsen married Isaac Sorensen in Chicago Illinois. Isaac Sorensen the son of Christian Lund, was born in Jutland, and came to America at 14 years of age.

Anna Olsen Sorensen and Isaac Sorensen had 10 children. The oldest girl Anna Sorensen married Lyle E. Barekman.

Isaac Sorensen was born July 19, 1856 and died July 20, 1936. Isaac is buried Next to his wife Anna Sorensen in Mount Olive Cemetery, Chicago, Illinois.

Of their ten children Ed- Harry- Roy- Arthur are dead, as well as an unknown infant. Anna, Pearl, Mabel, Frank and Earl all reside in Chicago. The lineage of the Sorensen, Olsen family will appear in "Early Scandinavian Settlers In Chicago Illinois." Compiled by June B. Barekman.

Anna Christian Sorensen and Lyle Ellsworth Barekman were married 9/21/1912, in Chicago Illinois. They had two daughters.

1. June Beverly Terry Barekman, Born June 28, 1915, in Chicago Illinois. June has compiled "The Barrackman-Barkman-Barekman Family Of Knox County, Indiana." "The Barrickman-Parrackman Family of West Virginia." "Edited The Barrickman Family of Franklin County, Indiana."-Taking up the work of Vivian Shoemaker (Barrickman.)

Miss June B. Barekman, is a member of the National Geneological Society. The Indiana State Historical Society. The Pioneers of Early Indiana. A Member of Alice of Old Vincennes Chapter 58 . Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic. A Member of the Illinois Historical Society. The Daughters of the Union Army Veterans, Julia Dent Chapter. Tent 12, Chicago Illinois. The

Nebraska State Historical Society, Kansas Historical Society, and Wayne County, Iowa Historical Society. Also a member of the American Association for State and Local History. June is single. (The Compiler of the Barekman Family Records)

2. Shirley Annabelle Barekman B-11/26/1916. Marries Ernest Schrodt (Dwire) in 1936. Ernest B. 5/5/1918. They had one child:

a. Shirley Barbara Schrodt- B.-10/13/1937. Shirley Barbara marries Robert Lee Davis. Robert B.- 3/4/1935 in Trenton, Tennessee. They have one child:

1. Debra Lee Davis-B.-1/13/1956 in Sardee Japan Shirley Barbara and Robert Lee Davis divorced 4/18/195[illegible]

2. Shirley A. Barekman Schrodt-Divorced year of 1940. Ernest Schrodt Dwire. Marries 1941 to Violet Ludwig.

Shirley Schrodt marries William Marshall Freeman, who was B.-12/16/1915. Married in North Dakota 1944.(Divorced). No Issue.

2. Shirley Freeman-marries Robert Maas who was B.-11/1/1936. The marriage date is April 8, 1949. No Issue.

d. Curran Hess Barekman-B. 8/24/1889. Curran is the 4th child of Lambert and Alice Barekman. Curran died 4/4/1910.

e. Lambert Earl Barekman B- 7/1/1892. Died 6/18/1916.

f. Rolla Barekman B-3/6/1895. Died 3/24/1895.

g. Leo Barekman B-3/24/1896 Died 3/24/1896

h. Aileen Maria Barekman B-7/12/1897. Marries 6/15/1920, Clements Ray Feagans who was B. 11/6/1896 in Washington County, Indiana. Died 12/5/1958 at Indianapolis, Indiana. Issue:

1. John Lambert Feagans- B-6/28/1926 Indianapolis, Indiana Marries Dona Mae Heits on 11/30/1947. Dona B. 2/2/1930. Issue:

a. John Steven Feagans B-1/20/1950
b. John Micheal Feagans B-4/17/1951.

1. John Lambert Feagans- Second wife Irma Dora Schydlowski, who was born 1/14/1933. Married 3/1/1958 at Marfeldan Gross-Germany. Following issue:

a. Aileen Catherine Feagans B-3/29/1959 at Wiesbaden, Germany.
b. Fanny Marie Feagans B-6/1/1960 at Indianapolis, Indiana.
c. Marianna Manuela Feagans B-5/17/1964 at Frankfort, Germany. The daughter of Irma by her first husband and adopted by John Lambert Feagans.
d. John Eky Feagans B-1/31/1962.

l. Service Record of John Lambert Feagans, U. S. Navy-- Enlisted 2/14/1943, Assigned to the U. S. S. Gemini Attack Transport. Saw action at Guam, Saipan, Tarawa, Phillipines and Okinawa. Honorably discharged 1/26/1946. John then joined the United States Air Force 12/17/1954 where he was assigned Rhein-Main A-B. Frankfort, Germany and Dharakan A. B. Saudi Arabia. Discharged 7/1/1960.

i. Lois Belle Barekman B-7/31/1900. Died 3/16/1904.

j. Garnet Mildred Barekman B-8/29/1902. Died 5/6/1094.

Note When Alice Belle Hess was a young child, she was taken to Knox County, Indiana from Washington County, Indiana in a wagon drawn by oxen. Her husband Lambert Thomas Barekman sold fruit trees all over Southern Indiana. In my travels to gather all this data, I was often told Lambert would sit down to lunch in one county and dinner in another, quite an accomplishment--quite fast travel in those days !!!.

The Holy Bible
Containing Old & New Testaments
Translated out of The Original Tongues
And with The Former, transcliations debgeutly
compared and revises

New York Bible Society
Instituted in the Year
1885. Nonparel-12 mo.

Presented
TO-
Belle H. By her husband
Nov. 14, 1884

Lambert Thomas Barekman
and
Alice Bell Hess,
Was
Married Dec. 29th 1881
By Rev. O. E. Hort.

Lambert Thomas Barekman
Born
Aug. 29th 1852, Harrison
Township Knox County Indiana.

Lambert Thomas Barekman
Died-
Nov. 23rd. 1927

Alice Bell Hess
Born
Nov. 14th 1859 Salem County,
Indiana
Came as a child to Knox County
in Ox Cart in wagon driven by Ox.

Alice Belle Hess Barekman
Died
Jan 23rd 1934.

Children to this union

1. Olga Marie Barekman
Born Oct. 4th 1882
Died Oct. 28th 1947

2. Carl Kirk Barekman
Born Nov. 12 1884
Died Nov. 19th 1918

3. Lyle Elsworth Barekman
Born Jan 24th 1887
Died Junt 16th 1929

4. Curran Hess Barekman
Born Oct. 24th 1889
Died Apr. 4th 1910

5. Lambert Earl Barekman
Born July 1st 1892
Died June 18th 1916

6. Rolla Barekman
Born Mar. 6th 1895
Died in Infancy Mar. 24th 1895

7. Leo Barekman
Died in Infancy Apr. 24th 1896

8. Aileen Maria Barekman
July 12th 1897

9. Lois Belle Barekman
July 31st 1900
Mar. 16th 1901 (8 mos.)

10. Garnet Meldred Barekman
Aug 29th 1902
May 6 1904 (20 mos)

B. Curran M. Barekman B-8/18/1854. Married Mattie Price 11/14/1883. Curran D. -5/7/1926. Mattie-- B. 12/20/1861 and D. 8/4/1952 at 90 years of age. No Issue. Both buried Fairview Cemetery in Vincennes, Indiana. Curran was the Second son of Thomas C. Barkman.

C. Isabell Hazlett Barekman B-10/5/1856. Marries William Finney Thorne 3/5/1877. William B-9/2/1859; D. 10/6/1905. Isabell D. 10/20/1941. Isabell only girl born to Thomas C. Barkman and Jane Kirk. Following are the children of Isabell and William .

a. Emery Curtis Thorne B. 7/12/1878
b. Percy Raymond Thorne B. 4/13/1881
c. Nellie Corine Thorne B. 6/30/1884
d. Fanny Geraldine Thorne B. 11/27/1889
e. Tracy Landers Thorne B. 7/12/1894
f. Stacey Sue Thorne B.7/12/1894
g. Ena Mae Thorne B. 3/3/1900

e. Tracy Thorne as above, marries Mattie Estelle Bruce wic who B. 12/6/1896. They have the following issue:

1. Leland Bruce Thorne B. 6/12/1914. Marries Celelea Eleanor Barr who was B. 12/19/1915. Their children are as follows.

a. Marilyn Sue Thorne B. 1/15/1938. Marries Dennis Joseph Collins who was B. December, 1937. They had the following children.

1. Dennis Joseph Collins- B-9/15/1956.
2. Mark John Collins B-4/13/1957
3. James Bruce Collins B-4/13/1957
4. Timothy Benedict Collins B-4/13/1957
5. Thimothy Joseph Collins B-8/26/1959

b. Janet Louise Thorne B-12/13/1939. Marries Frank

b. Davenport who was B. July, 1937

c. Judith Marie Thorne B-10/16/1942. D. 10/18/1942
d. John Robert Thorne B-9/30/1943
e. Mary Jo Thorne B-3/21/1945
f. James Anthony Thorne B- and D.2/13/1947
g. Margaret Mary Thorne B- and D.12/ /1947
h. Thomas Joseph Thorne B-and D. 3/9/1949
I. Micheal Gerald Thorne B-and D. 3/ /1950
j. Paul Anthony Thorne B-2/7/1953
k. Thomas Gerald Patrick Thorne B. and Died 3/18/1954
l. John James Bruce Thorne B. and Died 1/14/1956

2. Allen Tracy Thorne B- 4/7/1916. is the second child of Tracy and Mattie Thorne. Allen marries Beulah Margaret Carver who was b. 7/15/1916. Following are their children

a. Mary Ann Thorne B-5/31/1939
b. Steven Allen ThorneB-1/20/1941.

3. Alice Lorraine Thorne B. 1/16/1918. Alice is the 3rd child of Tracy and Mattie Thorne. Alice married William Robert Lind who was B. 4/27/1909. Issue:

a. Sharon Kay Lind B-12/24/1941
b. Brenda Sue Lind B-9/25/1949

4. William Edward Thorne B.-9/14/1920. Married Jean Catherine Anderson who was B. 2/15/1924. Their children:

a. Russel Edward Thorne B-7/12/1945
b. William Kevin Thorne B-11/3/1950

5. Sue Evelyn Thorn B-3/31/1930. Married Bill Lee Clark who was B. 5/15/1927. One child:

a. Mark Alan Clark B-6/2/1958

The Thorne and Bruce families are also very early settlers in Vincennes. Both families have kin who saw service in the Revolutionary War, The Vincennes Militia of 1790, Wars of 1812, various Indian Wars along the Wabash and War of the Rebillion. These families will be treated fully in KNOX COUNTY KIN."

X. Sarah Barkman B. 1830, is the 10th child of John and Jane Hannah Barkman. Early court papers show Sarah married to William G. K. Johnston, 3/23/1854. We can find no trace of records on Sarah nor do we find knowledge of where they lived, died or if they had issue. In formation will ab appreciated.
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Note: The sons of John Barkman were all farmers-farming the large areas along the Deshie River bottoms. In addition to this, they were all active in wood carving, cabinet making and in selling.

NOTE: John K. Barkman handled all legal matters for his kin. Albert successfully brought and sold land and grain as did his brother, James. William H. was a coffin maker and designed beautiful hand carved coffins for the community. William and John K. Also did the scroll work on the Barrackman Chapel. William H. made the pews in the Old Harman Church. Today---many beautiful cabinets made by William H. Barkman still grace Barckman homes. It is known that Joseph R. and Thomas C. were deeply religious men and had aspired to study for ministry. Due to hardships and large land holdings taking up their time, these men were unable to fullfill this desire.

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A List of property recieted by Jane Barkman widow of Thomas C. Barkman, late of Knox County Indiana and notes on the inventory by the Latter Widow this day made by John Barkman Administrator February 17, 1859

Subscribed with amount

1	bed beding sted	$10.	00
1	small desk	1.	00
1	Mantle	12.	00
1	looking glass		50
6	chairs and bench	3.	00
1	bed bedding and sted	10.	00
1	Do Do Do	10.	00
1	pref	1.	00
1	falling leef table	1.	50
1	pair anirons	1.	00
1	shoval		75
2	smoothings irons		80
2	candle sticks		40
1	stove _____		50
1	cooking stove apartus	25.	00
1	cupboard and dishes	8.	00
1	brass kettle		50
1	lott crocks hands ancharn	3.	
1	molases barrel		50
1	stons jar and traft	1.	50
1	Kettle larg		50
1	spining wheel	125.	00
	srorrel mare	15.	00
1	red cow	10.	00
1	sow and pigs	3.	00
1	shate	3.	00
1	lot chickens	4.	80
1	carper		
		$256.	25
1	half of Twenty are wheat	20.	00
1	stack hay	10.	00
1	large wheel	25.	00
1	ball face heefer calf	6.	00
		$294.	25

Received of John Barkman Administrator of Thomas C. Barkman deceased the above on _____ of my deceased husband property amounting to two hundred and ninty four dollars and twenty five cents in part of the three hundred dollars allowed me as widow and noted on the inventory by letter W. the 17 Feb. 1859

James Thorn _____ Jane Widow

No#1 Widows Probate for $ 294. 25 Filed March 28th 1859 By Wm Denny-Clerk

SEC.D-40

OLD VINCENNES.

ALICE OF OLD VINCENNES.

I.

In the village, Che-pe-ko-ke,
   In the times long past and gone,
Nestled on the Ouabache river,
   Lived brave Alice Roussilon.
Not a flower in valley blooming,
   Not a songvird in the glens
Was so fair and sweet as Alice,
   Pretty maid of old Vincennes.

II.

Oft she winged the grouse and partridge,
   As from covey up they flew;
Or, disporting on the water,
   Oft she sculled her bark canoe.
And by arrow, swiftly speeding,
   As to mark it straightly wends,
Doe and fawn were often trophies
   Alice bagged, near Old Vincennes.

III.

Ere the battle's smoke o'er Sackville
   By the winds were rolled away,
Lithely sped the maid, unhindered,
   With her flag to crown the fray;
Then, to mast rope tightly fastened,
   Up Old Glory high ascends,
Waving back a kiss to Alice,
   Heroine of Old Vincennes.

IV.

Mem'ry, often, us will carry
   On the wings of busy thought
Back to early years, when Freedom
   'Gainst its foes in triumph fought;
Not a spot should now be dearer
   To the hearts of Freedom's friends
Than the village, Che-ce-ko-ke,
   Home of Alice—Old Vincennes !

SEC D-41

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Some of family group is spelled in a variety of ways. From the best sources we have been under several spellings. Thus: Berkman, Barkeman, Berkheed, Berkhead, Berkhead, Barkhead and Barkman, etc.
Women will be listed under their married name.

A
Administrator notice
Berkman, Thomas C. G-14

B
Berkman, Allen married Clemmie Jay Peagram D-35, 37
Alexander U. married Ida Andrews. Children
are William Rosalie, Julia, Guy, George, Goldie, D-12
Alice Ness, wife of Lambert D-32, 33
Carl married Clara Baker D-36
Curt married Mattie Price D-37
Garnet D-36, 37
Hannah J. (Fraswell) D-11
Wife of James M. Fraswell, Children: Albert,
Bessie, Ruby, Fraswell Gray. D-12
Isabella, married William Turner Thorne D-37
Children are Emery, Percy, Nellie, Irene,
Stacey, Eva, and Tracy Thorne. D-37
June F. Compiler and author. Child of Lyle
and Anna Berkman. D-34, 35
Lambert married Alice Bell Ness. D-17
Children are Olga, Carl, Lyle, Curtis.
Lambert Earl, Rolla, Ian, Alice, Lois.
and Garnet Berkhead D-35, 37
Leo D-35, 37
Lois Belle D-36, 37
Lyle Ellsworth married Anna C. Sorenson.
The children: June and Shirley. D-37
Mary Belle. Married Albert S. Leach.
Children: Albert, Raymond, Agnes Leach. D-12
Olga married Ephrian Walter Jones. D-33
Olga as executrix of will of Alice Berkman. D-33
Rolla D-35, 37
Shirley Annabelle, daughter of Lyle and
Anna C. Berkman D-35
Berkman, Albert G. D-3, 4, 5, 6, 7
Eliza (wife of Alexander Underwood) D-9
James D-3, 4, 39
Jane Demmon, wife of John Berkman Sr. D-1, 2, 3, 4, 7
Jane Wirt, wife of Thomas Berkman D-14, 40
John Sr. Wife, Jane Demmon D-1
John-administrator-consult to John G. D-5, 7, 17, 40
John K. (wife--Sarah A. Jones) D-2, 3, 4, 13, 39
Joseph D-2, 3, 4, 39
Lyman A., wife was Margaret Susanna Decker
Children were Elias, and Jesse. D-10, 11

SECTION D JOHN BERKMAN (NEXT PAGE)

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[illegible], wife of [illegible]
[illegible] wife of [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Wife of William [illegible]
Thomas C., Wife, Jane [illegible]
Children Nelle Herbert, Dora, [illegible]
Isabella [illegible]
William H., Wife was Julia Lucinda [illegible]
Children: Lyman, Lemuel, Alexander, Mary Jane, D-10, 11, 12
Barrackman, Abraham D-1
Elizabeth (Amber) D-1
Henry D-1
Jane, wife of John Sr. Barrackman D-1, 2, 3, 4, 7
John Sr. D-1, 2, 3, 4, 7
Beck, Ann (Hess) D-13
Benkes, Benjamin D-1
Bible Records
Barkman, John D-3
Barshman, Lambert D-36
Bosley, Delsha (Coker) D-24
Chrisman
Benjamin, wife Eliza Riley D-19
David, wife Elizabeth Robertson D-19
George, wife Sarah Scott D-18
Jeremiah, wife Nancy Riley D-19
John, wife Harriet Dustin D-19
Maria, husband William Hess D-18
William, Wife, Catherine Alpha D-18
Chrisman land D-18
Clark, William Lee married Sue Evelyn Thorn D-38
Coker, Idella (later married a Calloway) D-21
Benjamin D-23, 25
Benjamin, wife, Sara Somers--family D-28
Blanche D-28, 25
Charley D-28, 22, 25
Frank D-28, 25
Ada D-28
Ray D-25
O. Ervin D-23
Florence D-24, 25
Florence (Denny) D-25
George D-23, 25
Isaac W. D-19, 21, 22
James D-22, 23
Jane W. (Daily) D-19, 21, 23
Maggie (Johnson) D-25
Mahala (Howell) D-19
Marmaduke George. D-19, 21, 22, 23, [illegible]
Mary D-19
Mary D-23
Minnie (Gray) D-21
Roy D-25
Samantha J. (Florence) D-24

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Daisy, Jane M. (wife of M. Joseph)
Davis, Robert Lee (wife is Barbara [illegible]
child is Debra Lee Davis)
Dilly, Frank (husband of Maude Barkman, children
are Lyman, Roscoe, Raymond, Mary Eugenia, Dolly)
Estates--including investments--sales--other [illegible]
Barkman, Albert G.
Barkman, Jane (widow of Thomas C. Barkman)
Barkman, Thomas C.
Evans, Robert M.
Feagans, Clement Ray--Married Arleen Peterson
John Lambert
Freeman, William Marshall--wife Shirley Schrodt
Fort Vinnehaee
Garner or Gassert Farms (Barkman)
Gibson, John
Guardianship
Barkman, Lyman--to daughter Maude
Hannah, Mary
Hannah, William
Hess, Alice Belle
Ann
Apollos
Elvera
George H. Wife is Martha Jane Gosar
Alice Belle
Edwin Thomas
Mary Jane
Viola Sarah
William Marmaduke
George L. and second wife Martha J. Robinson
Annie
Eliza Eleanor
George
Henry
James W.
Jennie May
John
Mary
Theodora Elverna
Walter Logan
George I. Third wife Sarah D. Williams
George L. Fourth wife Sarah Jane Haley
Christopher
Eugene
Howard C.
Ruth
Hess--land transfers--deeds

[illegible] (Carpenter) [illegible]
[illegible] J. (Barker) [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
William [illegible]
Hours, Ephraim Walker, married Olga [illegible] D-[illegible]
Hughes, Lydia (Coker) [illegible]
Johnston, William G. R.--husband of Sarah [illegible] D-[illegible]
Jordan, Ephriam [illegible]
George M. husband of Julia D. Barekman D-[illegible]
Kirk Family Group D-[illegible]
LaCoste, Samuel wife is Agnes Leach D-13
Leach, Albert S. wife May Belle Barekman D-12
Albert W. wife is Harriet Grimes. Children D-[illegible]
Raymond Wife is Cyrilla Durkel. Children D-12
Letters Wilma Fieldhouse on Isaac Coker D-[illegible]
Deltha Healey on George Coker D-[illegible]
Lulu Davis on Thomas Coker D-[illegible]
Lind, Robert L. married Alice Lorraine Thorne
Children are Sharon, and Brenda Lind D-[illegible]
Maas, Robert wife is Shirley Freeman D-[illegible]
Maps Washington County, Indiana D-20
Scott County, Indiana D-[illegible]
Obituaries, Coker
Sarah Coker D-23, 24
George E. Coker D-23
Florence Coker D-25
Cora D. Coker D-25
Ida Coker D-26
Lillian L. Coker D-26
Frank Ray Coker D-26
Owens, Roy wife was Blanche Coker Children D-27
Photopoulos, Theodore wife was Goldie Barekman D-12
Poems
Alice of Old Vincennes D-[illegible]
Mother D-25
To Mother D-[illegible]
Presnell, Albert J. husband of Hannah J. Barekman
Price, Mattee wife of Curren Barekman D-[illegible]
Sanders, Isaac husband to Rebecca Barkman D-7
Schrodt, Ernest husband of Shirley A. Barekman.
One child Barbara. D-35
Smith, Julia Lucinda Barkman D-9
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CHARLES JACOB HAROLD BAREKMAN.

Charles Barekman, son of Christopher and Blanche Barekman, married Eva Mae Grant, November 3, 1962. They were married in the Methodist Church of Saybrook, Illinois. Eva was born October 20, 1933, Mc Lean County, Saybrook Illinois.

Eva is the daughter of Charles Walter and Bertha Elizabeth Grant. Charles Walter was born November 23, 1886, Effingham County, Altamont, Illinois. Charles Walter died February 28, 1962. He is buried in the Riverside Cemetery, Saybrook, Illinois. Charles Walter was the son of Francis Grant, his mother was Susanna Stabl.

Bertha Elizabeth Dubson, was born August 22, 1898, Champaign County, Seymour, Illinois. She and Charles Walter Grant were married July 29, 1915, Champaign County, Champaign, Illinois. Bertha was the daughter of William Henry Dubson and Ida Mae Welch. Bertha and Charles Walter Grant were both members of the Methodist Church of Saybrook Illinois.

Eva was one of 9 children, following are the children of Charles Walter and Bertha Grant.

1. Marjorie Irene Briggs, born 1/18/1915, Seymour, Illinois.
2. Francis William Grant, born 4/22/1921, Seymour, Illinois.
3. Leo Vernon Grant born 3/8/1923, Seymour, Illinois.
4. Betty June Spran born 7/4/1925, Dewey, Illinois.
5. Clara Belle Grant born 11/9/1930, Saybrook, Illinois.
6. Agnes Grant, Infant 9/8/1932, Saybrook, Illinois
7. Neva Jean Springer born 10/20/1933, Saybrook, Illinois
8. Eva Mae Grant, twin to Neva.
9. Dorothy Marie Simpson born 6/21/1935, Saybrook, Illinois.

Under initial E

Clark Barekman was the son of William and Diadema Morgan Barekman. Clark Barekman died on April 30th, 1919. The burial was at Fairview Cemetery in Vincennes, Indiana.

Clark Barekman had a child. Her name was Mary Anne Barekman and she married William Barnett on January 26th, 1909. Mary and William had four children. One daughter married Dr. H. A. Bodenhorner(?) of Worland, Wyoming. There are no further records on this family group.

Under initial A

John W. Barekman and his first wife, Essie Compton, had two sons. They are:--

1. Homer Harley Barekman. He was born on July 30th, 1900 in Vincennes, Indiana. He married Mary E. Bowers who was born on December 13th, 1901. She was the child of J. H. Bowers. Homer Barekman married Mary E. Bowers on September 18th, 1929. They now live in Monticello, Indiana. They have no children.

2. Chester Opal Barekman. He was born on March 30th, 1904. He died on August 22nd, 1947 and is buried next to his mother in the cemetery at Indianapolis, Indiana. Chester Opal Barekman was married three times. The name of the first wife is unknown. They did have one child--a girl. Her name, also, is unknown. Chester Barekman married for a second time. This wife was Thelma Katherine Waas. She was born on October 30th, 1909 at Madison, Indiana. She was the child of Albert Waas and Florence Dew. Chester Barekman and Thelma Waas had one child--Chester Barekman Jr.

After she divorced Chester Opal Barekman Sr. Thelma Waas Barekman married Frank Michael Bova of Indianapolis, Indiana. Chester Opal Barekman Jr. was adopted by Frank Bova and renamed "Phillip Bova".

Three children were born to Frank and Thelma Bova. Twin girls were born on February 23rd, 1937. They were named Florence Louise and Josephine Magdaline Bova. Michael Bova was born on November 17th, 1939. All three were born in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Phillip Bova (Chester Opal Barekman Jr.) married Pauline Rizzo who was born on December 25th, 1930 in Racine, Wisconsin. She was the child of Michael Rizzo and Anna Bova. Phillip Bova and Pauline Rizzo Bova have four children. All were born in Indianapolis, Indiana. They are:--

1. Diane Marie Bova who was born on August 27th, 1954.
2. Phillip Michael Bova who was born on February 15th, 1957.
3. Thelma Katherine Bova was born on November 2nd, 1957.
4. Frank Michael Bova was born on January 2nd, 1962.

Under initial A

John W. Barekman and his second wife, [illegible], had one child--Mary Wanda Barekman who was born in December of 1951. She is married but we have no further information.

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Margaret A. Barekman was born on October 7th, 1876. She married Payton Compton on December 3rd, 1896. Margaret Compton died on February 4th, 1912.

Payton Jasper Compton was born on January 5th, 1872 in Gibson County, Indiana--the son of Killis Compton and Mary Fredricks. After the death of his first wife, Margaret A. Barekman, Payton Compton married Bertha Timmons. Payton Compton died on March 16th, 1957 and is buried in Fairview Cemetery in Vincennes, Indiana.

Margaret Barekman and Payton Compton had three children:--
1. Hobart Compton who died as an infant.
2. Ruby Compton who also died as an infant.
3. Beulah Marie Compton who was born on February 24th, 1911.

Beulah Compton married Paul Hill on December 14th, 1929. He was the son of Charles and Ida May Hill. Paul R. Hill was born on June 6th, 1897 in Indianapolis and died on August 20th, 1956.

Two sons were born to Beulah Compton and Paul Hill. They were:--
1. Paul Richard Hill Jr. who was born on August 13th, 1930 at Indianapolis. He graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Purdue University and is now a nuclear physicist in Baltimore, Maryland. Paul Richard Hill Jr. married Arrah Jane Merson on December 6th, 1959. Arrah Jane Merson was born on February 9th, 1936. Paul and Arrah Hill have one son. This is David Randall Hill born on May 9th, 1961 in Baltimore, Maryland.

2. Charles Wilbur Hill who was born on July 9th, 1931. He also graduated from Purdue University (in 3 and ½ years). He then went directly into service. After completion of this service Charles Hill went to Yale as a graduate student and assistant professor. He is now a nuclear physicist with Lockheed in Atlanta, Georgia. Charles W. Hill married Dorothy Lois Grant on July 6th, 1957 at Bethel Chapel at Croton-on-Hudson in New York. Dorothy Lois Grant was born on October 5th, 1930 at Ossing, New York. Charles and Dorothy are the parents of three children. They are:--

1. Scott Douglas Hill who was born on February 21st, 1959.
2. Timothy Paul Hill who was born on September 6th, 1960.
3. Heidi Ann Hill who was born on February 28th, 1962.

Beulah Compton Hill, the mother of Paul Richard Hill Jr. and Charles Wilbur Hill, is now married to A. Neal Jackson. A. Neal Jackson is a member of the Tennessee Jackson family. The Jacksons now reside in Florida. Mrs. Jackson is presently engaged in genealogical research on the Jackson family.